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#### COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

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#### REGULAR SESSION

Convening at 8 a.m. (Eastern Standard Time)

## Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, September 19, 20 and 21, 1950

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#### PERRY, PAUL FRANCIS

#### Bradford County

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October 10, 1949. Sentenced to death.

Murder, in the first degree

May 22, 1950. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

\* (Capital case)

July 6, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, October 2, 1950.

August 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

J. Roy Lilley, Esquire, William A. O'Connor, Esquire, Towanda, Pa.

Bradford County

8666	January 22, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 15 years.
Statutory rape	December 10, 1946. Sentence commuted.  Released on parole.
	May 26, 1950. Application for

pardon filed.

Romeyn F. Culver, Esquire, Towanda, Pa.

KNAPP, FLOYD L.

#### DARCY, DAVID

#### **Bucks County**

A-306

February 16, 1949. Sentenced to death.

October 24, 1949. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

January 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Murder, in the first degree

\* (Capital case)

March 27, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, June 26, 1950.

April 13, 1950. Continued to May Session.

May 26, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

June 23, 1950. Governor issued respite staying execution to week beginning Monday, October 9, 1950.

June 23, 1950. Reargument granted.

Witkin & Egan, Attorneys-at-Law, 911 Finance Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa. 9/15/50, 200 to

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#### FOSTER, HAROLD

#### **Bucks County**

#### A-352

September 7, 1949. Sentenced to death.

March 20, 1950. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

March 27, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, June 26, 1950.

## Murder, in the first degree \*(Capital case)

April 17, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

May 26, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

June 23, 1950. Governor issued respite staying execution to week beginning Monday, October 9, 1950.

June 23, 1950. Reargument granted.

Donald B. Smith, Esquire, Perkasie, Pa.

C. William Freed, Jr., Esquire, Quakertown, Pa.

#### ZIETZ, HARRY

#### **Bucks County**

A-351

September 7, 1949. Sentenced to death.

March 20, 1950. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

March 27, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, June 26, 1950.

Murder in the first degree

\* (Capital case)

April 17, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

May 26, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

June 23, 1950. Governor issued respite staying execution to week beginning Monday, October 9, 1950.

June 23, 1950. Reargument granted.

G. Coe Farrier, Esquire, Byberry Road and Depue, Somerton, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### HARR, JOHN M.

#### **Bucks County**

A-435

Burglary

November 23, 1942. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from November 7, 1942.

July 28, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### TILLOTTA, MARIA

**Bucks County** 

9832

February 24, 1930. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

May 18, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

June 27, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Henry D. O'Connor, Esquire, 624 Widener Building, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

## CUSUMANO, ALFONSO FRANK, SR.

9087

Assault to rob while armed; burglary; robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon Bucks, Montgomery, Berks, and Lehigh Counties

May 8, 1945. Sentenced in Bucks County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Peniteutiary for from 7 to 14 years for assault to rob while being armed, burglary. Sentence to be computed from April 5, 1945.

June 15, 1945. Sentenced in Montgomery County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7 to 15 years for robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon. This sentence to run concurrently with sentence imposed in Bucks County.

September 16, 1946. Sentenced in Berks County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon. This sentence to run concurrently with sentence imposed in Bucks County.

January 6, 1947. Sentenced in Lehigh County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon. This sentence to run concurrently with sentence imposed in Bucks County.

Applications for commutation refused October 16, 1947, and June 22, 1949.

July 28, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Alfonso Frank Cusumano, 837 Tremont Street, Norristown, Pa.

#### BREMAN, ABE J.

#### Allegheny County

1-468

Oriving while under the influence of intoxicating liquor

June 21, 1937. Sentence suspended on payment of costs.

August 11, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

I. Barney Cohen, Esquire, 208 Berger Building, 'ittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### FLORIG, ALBERT E.

#### Allegheny County

#### A-469

July 6, 1950. Sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, restitution having been made.

#### Passing worthless check

August 11, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

M. Barney Cohen, Esquire, 1208 Berger Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### CONNELL, JOHN H.

#### Allegheny County

9988

February 18, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2 to 5 years.

Larceny, receiving stolen goods

September 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

July 26, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Norman Paul Wolken, Esquire, 505 Second Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### FIELDER, HENRY EDWARD

#### Allegheny County

A-189

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon; assault April 27, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from April 16, 1949.

February 21, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

June 8, 1950. Reargument granted.

Valera Grapp, Attorney-at-Law, 554 Union Trust Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### JACKSON, CARLTON

#### Allegheny County

#### A-419

Voluntary manslaughter rua

April 27, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 4 to 8 years. Sentence to be computed from February 25, 1949.

July 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

J. S. LaVictoire, Esquire, 512 Berger Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### JONES, JOSEPH L.

#### Allegheny County

#### A-413

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

April 16, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 2 to 4 years.

June 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Kenneth E. Rennekamp, Esquire, 513-15 Berger Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

## KOZLOWSKI, PETER PAUL

#### Allegheny County

4771

October 26, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State for from 14 to 35 years.

Applications for commutation refused February 21, 1940, December 17, 1941, and October 26, 1942.

Robbery

July 7, 1943. Sentence commuted. Released on parole.

December 18, 1947. Application for commutation of maximum sentence refused.

August 11, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Warren O. MacLean, Esquire, 1603 Law and Finance Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### LEFFARD, WILLIAM R.

#### Allegheny County

#### A-448

December 3, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

## Murder, in the second degree

Sentence to be computed from July 3, 1946.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Harry M. Jones, Esquire, 523 Park Building, Pittsburgh 22, Pa.

#### LYLE, CHARLES

#### Allegheny County

#### A-442

## Burglary, receiving stolen goods

April 19, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from January 10, 1950.

August 3, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

S. H. Reichman, Esquire, 1219 Plaza Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### MANCINI, JOHN LEONARD

#### A-431

Felonious assault with intent to commit armed robbery, accessory before the fact, accessory after the fact, receiving stolen goods

A. Arthur Boscia, Esquire, 719 Plaza Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### Allegheny County

April 4, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 2 to 4 years.

July 24, 1050. Application for commutation filed.

#### McKINLEY, GEORGE

#### Allegheny County

A-321

June 13, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from April 23, 1949.

Robbery

April 6, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

May 18, 1950. Continued to the September Session.

W. T. Corbett, Esquire, 1400 Jones Law Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### McKNIGHT, JOHN J.

#### Allegheny County

9520

January 14, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 5 to 10 years. Sentenced to be computed from January 1, 1947.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Applications for commutation refused September 22, 1948, and December 20, 1949.

May 22, 1950. Reargument granted.

L. Pat McGrath, Esquire, 2404 Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### PLIES, GEORGE

#### Allegheny County

5288

March 16, 1939. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

July 8, 1941. Application for commutation refused.

January 14, 1942. Sentence commuted.

December 22, 1942. Released on parole.

Robbery

March 31, 1944. Sentenced in Allegheny County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for robbery. Sentence to begin at the expiration of unexpired parole violation or February 18, 1949.

June 22, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

July 14, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Anthony C. Troiano, Esquire, 2901 Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### SAVOR, PETER

#### Allegheny County

8245

October 27, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for burglary. Sentence to be computed from September 24, 1943.

January 9, 1946. Application for commutation refused.

Burglary, robbery

March 5, 1947. Sentence commuted.

November 9, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years for robbery. Sentence to begin at the end of unexpired parole violation.

August 15, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

J. Harry Pershing, Esquire, 511 Bakewell Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### SCHIMBORSKI, RALPH GEORGE

# Allegheny County

9818

May 4, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 3 to 6 years.

Burglary

April 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

July 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Henry Mustin, Esquire, 1030 Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

### CARSON, ARTHUR R.

# Allegheny County

1635

January 19, 1926. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused February 21, 1934, November 17, 1937, September 21, 1938, July 7, 1939, September 17, 1941, May 26, 1942, November 19, 1942, July 8, 1943, January 19, 1945, November 27, 1945, November 20, 1946, and December 18, 1947.

August 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lula Abrams, 3016 Winton Avenue, Youngstown, Ohio

## DRISCHLER, NORBERT

# Allegheny County

A-455

Robbery

March 17, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from January 3, 1949.

August 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Viola Vietmieri, 1712 Plateau Street, Pittsburgh 10, Pa.

#### KNOPP, LEONARD

# Allegheny County

9979

September 5, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from August 20, 1946.

Rape

September 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Walter Love, P. O. Box 398, Braddock Post Office, Braddock, Pa.

### ROBERTS, WALTER

## Allegheny County

A-27

Rape, felonious assault and battery

March 5, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 10 to 22 years. Sentence to be computed from November 15, 1944.

September 8, 1949. Application for commutation filed.

October 18, 1949. Continued to the September 1950 Session.

Reverend J. B. Campbell, 44-46 Mayflower Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### GILES, GEORGE G.

## Allegheny County

9437

June 4, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from June 1, 1946.

Rape, sodomy

Applications for commutation refused June 15, 1948, and June 22, 1949.

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Peuitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### JONES, ERNEST

### Allegheny County

A-479

March 23, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from September 29, 1947.

Statutory rape

August 15, 1949. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### NICHOLSON, SHAW

177

September 13, 1918. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 15 to 36 years.

June 17, 1931. Application for commutation refused.

Burglary, entering a building

September 13, 1933. Released on parole.

December 14, 1944. Returned to the Western State Penitentiary for violation of parole.

Applications for commutation refused November 27, 1945, February 20, 1947, and September 21, 1949.

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburg, Pa.

## THOMPSON, RICHARD

# Allegheny County

3930

November 23, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from December 1, 1932.

Applications for commutation refused October 18, 1938, and October 16, 1941.

Robbery

November 23, 1942. Released on parole.

September 17, 1943. Returned to the Western State Penitentiary for violation of parole.

July 31, 1947. Released on parole.

January 13, 1949. Returned to the Western State Penitentiary for violation of parole.

August 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### HICKMAN, REESE M.

## Beaver County

A - 308

December 22, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from December 14, 1948.

Burglary, larceny

March 29, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

May 19, 1950. Continued to the September 1950 Session.

Eugene A. Caputo, Esquire, 719 Merchant Street, Ambridge, Pa.

# JACKSON, WILLIAM HARVEY

## Beaver County

#### A-464

Forgery, uttering a forged instrument

December 1, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from November 17, 1948.

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend N. L. Meeks, 183 Sixth Avenue, Aliquippa, Pa.

#### EDELL, MORTON

#### A-425

Conspiracy, violation of Securities Act, fraudulent conversion, conspiracy to cheat and defraud.

# Berks County

March 14, 1941. Sentenced to make restitution in the amount of \$2,175 and placed on probation for a period of 5 years.

July 14, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

M. Clyde Sheaffer, Esquire, 17 North Front Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

Mr. Richard M. Glassner, 60 Park Place, Newark, N. J.

PIZZI, VITO ALFRED	Berks County
9909	June 10, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentenced to be computed from April 22, 1946.
Burglary, larceny	June 22, 1949. Application for commutation refused.
	June 6, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Frederick J. Bertolet, Esquire, 603 Baer Building, Reading, Pa.

## WITTMAN, MARSHALL R.

# Berks County

9745

August 30, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years.

Robbery, burglary

February 16, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Beulah Wittman, R. F. D. No. 1, Mertztown, Pa.

Mr. Ernest Welder, Wescosville, Pa.

# CLAPPER, LESTER DEAN

Blair County

9963

March 3, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Blair County Jail for from 4 to 8 years.

Burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods

September 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

July 18, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ashton Gardner, Esquire, Hollidaysburg, Pa.

# JOHNSON, HARRY ROTH

# Butler County

A-459

Sodomy

December 16, 1949. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$150.00 and imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 1 to 2 years. Sentence to be computed from December 6, 1949.

August 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Carl Blanchfield, Esquire, 527 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

## MANINNA, JOSEPH

### Cambria County

480

October 7, 1929. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 16 to 32 years.

Burning with intent to defraud, arson Applications for commutation refused November 18, 1931, July 19, 1933.

January 9, 1935. Sentence commuted.

Released on parole.

July 31, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Bruce A. Sciotto, Esquire, 308 First National Bank Bldg., Johnstown, Pa.

### DUFFY, WALTER

#### A-467

Assault and battery, statutory rape, enticing female child for immoral purposes Carbon County

October 14, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years.

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Mary Duffy, 311 North Street, East Mauch Chunk, Pa.

### NEDEAU, FRANK J.

# Centre and Allegheny Counties

1293

December 8, 1931. Sentenced in Allegheny County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 15 years for entering and lareeny.

Escaping from penitentiary, entering, larceny, larceny of automobile

November 14, 1933. Sentenced in Centre County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 12 to 25 years for escaping from Penitentiary.

Applications for commutation refused March 17, 1938, November 16, 1938, December 17, 1941.

June 19, 1942. Sentence commuted.

...... Released on parole.

August 14, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Charles J. Ware, Esquire, 205-208 Keystone Building, 22 South Third Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

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EMILE A.	

# Chester County

A-403

June 2, 1913. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 9 to 30 years.

Burglary

Released on parole.

September 28, 1937. Returned to the Eastern State Penitentiary for violation of parole.

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

William L. Fox, Esquire, 1900 Land Title Building, Philadelphia 10, Pa.

# FAUST, WILLIAM CARL

# Chester County

A-426

Sodomy

May 18, 1949. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$3,000 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from March 17, 1949.

July 14, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Gerald Walch, 350 Walnut Street, Pottstown, Pa.

# KEPHART, MELVIN, JR.

# Clearfield County

9627

Burglary; robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

February 3, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from January 19, 1947.

November 16, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

# UNCLES, LEWIS WALTER

### Clearfield County

#### A-421

Larceny, malicious mischief

June 13, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from June 5, 1949.

July 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Chase & Swoope, Esquires, Moose Building, Clearfield, Pa.

#### WALTER, LESTER EUGENE

## Clearfield County

A-429

Forgery

December 20, 1948. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$500.00 and imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1 to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from November 26, 1948.

July 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

William J. McKnight, Esquire, McKnight Building, Brookville, Pa.

#### HETZEL, RICHARD H.

## Clinton County

**A**-439

Sodomy, rape

November 9, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from July 10, 1948.

July 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Mildred Minnick, 225 Bennage Avenue, Lock Haven, Pa.

Mr. Raymond L. Raines, Captain, The Salvation Army, 119 East Church Street, Lock Haven, Pa.

#### FERGUSON, CHARLES W.

# Crawford County

A-447

Sodomy

January 31, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from November 18, 1948.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

George J. Barco, Esquire, Barco and Barco, Attorneys-at-Law, Meadville, Pa.

# PERRY, CHARLES HENRY

## Crawford County

#### A-446

# Burglary, larceny

August 2, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from July 9, 1948.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

John H. Bream, Esquire, Blackstone Building, Harrisburg, Pa.

# ROBERTS, CLIFTON JAMES

Crawford County

A-405

Incestuous statutory rape

November 14, 1947. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$200 and imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from August 13, 1948.

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

George C. Magee, Jr., Esquire, 353 Center Street, Meadville, Pa.

# SUTTON, LLOYD G.

Crawford, Erie, Butler, and Mercer Counties

A-470

March 21, 1949. Sentenced in Crawford County to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 2½ to 5 years for burglary and larceny. Sentence to be computed from December 17, 1948.

March 24, 1949. Sentenced in Erie County to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 2½ to 5 years for burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods. This sentence to run concurrently with sentence imposed in Crawford County.

Burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods

March 25, 1950. Sentenced in Butler County to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years for burglary. This sentence to run concurrently with sentence imposed in Crawford County.

April 19, 1949. Sentenced in Mercer County to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 1 to 2 years for burglary. This sentence to be computed from April 19, 1949.

August 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Yolanda G. Barco, Attorney-at-Law, Barco and Barco, Meadville, Pa.

### LUCAS, GEORGE

Crawford County

9975

July 6, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from June 1, 1948.

Burglary, larceny

September 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### NIEMI, ALEXANDER

#### Delaware County

6738

October 21, 1949. Sentenced to death.

Murder in the first degree \* (Capital case)

May 23, 1950. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

May 25, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, September 25, 1950.

August 14, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ernest L. Green, Esquire, 17 South Avenue, Media, Pa.

# DEVENNEY, WILLIAM THOMAS

#### A-294

Aggravated assault and battery with intent to kill, conspiracy, robbery, violation of the Firearms Act.

# Delaware County

October 8, 1947. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$500 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from September 5, 1947.

March 21, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

June 1, 1950. Continued to the September Session.

Ralph L. Lindenmuth, Esquire, 106 County Building, Media, Pa.

#### GOODMAN, NATHAN

## Delaware County

**A**-409

January 12, 1940. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$500 and imprisonment in the Delaware County Prison for 4 months.

Conspiracy

May 24, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Edward Davis, Esquire, 215 South Second Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# HEATH, CHARLES DANIEL

#### Delaware County

9720

January 9, 1946. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$100.00 and imprisonment in the Delaware County Prison for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from November 1, 1945.

Murder, in the second degree

February 16, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 3, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, 1505 Fox Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

# JEFFERSON, RICHARD ARNOLD

## Delaware County

December 29, 1947. Sentenced to

A-437

pay a fine of \$500.00 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from September 29, 1947.

July 28, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

William Smallwood, Esquire, 421 W. Lincoln Street, Stelton, Pa.

#### TWADDELL, IDA H.

### Delaware County

4745

March 23, 1931. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused March 20, 1940, and June 23, 1949.

July 17, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Morris Smith, Esquire, 919 Edgmont Avenue, Chester, Pa.

#### DIGGS, WILLIAM

## Delaware County

#### A-445

Robbery, larceny

June 17, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. Sentence to be computed from May 7, 1943.

August 7, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

# DAVIS, JACK, JR.

# Delaware County

9960

October 11, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from September 7, 1946.

Murder, in the second degree

September 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

July 28, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Lizzie Logan, 431 West 162nd Street, New York City, N. Y.

#### JENKINS, JAMES F.

# Delaware and Montgomery Counties

#### A-477

February 26, 1948. Sentenced in Delaware County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from February 14, 1948.

# Burglary, larceny

April 8, 1949. Sentenced in Montgomery County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 5 years. This sentence to run concurrently with sentence imposed in Delaware County and to begin on April 8, 1949.

August 14, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. James F. Jenkins, 2634 South 62nd Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### GATES, RAYMOND W.

## Delaware County

9949

Burglary, larceny

October 2, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from July 8, 1946.

September 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

July 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Melinda Gates, 20 Newall Street, Morton, Pa.

# TRUXAL, HERBERT PAUL

Westmoreland County

A-450

Forgery

October 25, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from September 25, 1946.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Kunkle and Trescher, Esquires, Park Building, 121 West Main Street, Greensburg, Pa.

#### HUDAK, GEORGE PAUL

## Westmoreland County

A-406

Robbery, larceny, receiving stolen goods

January 7, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from December 8, 1948.

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Ann Hudak, Mr. James Carlson, 1323 Locust Street, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

## NOGGLE, MARTIN L.

# Cumberland County

# A-436

Assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery

December 9, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years. Sentence to be computed from December 5, 1949.

July 28, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Iva Noggle, 230 East High Street, Carlisle, Pa.

## HARRIS, J. LYNN

# Dauphin County

9750

February 9, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from September 26, 1947.

Murder, in the second degree

March 22, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

May 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

W. Justin Carter, Jr., Esquire, 30 South Third Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

## HANLEN, JACOB W.

## Dauphin County

A-440

January 10, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from December 31, 1948.

Burglary

July 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Mervin M. Mellott, 1335 Howard Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

WRIGHT, JOSEPH	Dauphin County
9207	June 21, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.
Robbery, burglary	October 26, 1948. Application for

commutation refused.

July 28, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

## JONES, FLOY C., JR.

## Elk County

#### A-449

April 19, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 1 to 3 years.

Involuntary manslaughter

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

John B. McCue, Esquire, Reynolds Building, Kittanning, Pa.

# DELPORTO, BERNARD J.

Erie County

A-411

Obtaining money under false pretenses

September 14, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for  $2\frac{1}{2}$  years.

June 6, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Edward E. Petrillo, Esquire, 202 Marine Bank Building, Erie, Pa.

## STINGEL, FRED

## Erie County

8262

May 15, 1944. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$2,500 and imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from May 11, 1944.

Pandering

Applications for commutation refused January 16, 1946, April 17, 1947, and November 16, 1948.

July 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Louis R. Benacci, Esquire, 1002 G. Daniel Baldwin Building, Erie, Pa.

## REARIC, GLENN, JR.

## Erie County

#### A-451

Burglary, larceny

October 27, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from October 11, 1949.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Francis G. Stewart, 1428 Broadview Boulevard, Brackenridge, Pa.

#### WELSH, JAMES C.

## Fayette County

9917

Robbery

September 26, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from August 19, 1946.

June 23, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

## LOHMAN, MARTIN

# Franklin County

9225

November 16, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 12 to 24 years. Sentence to be computed from October 31, 1940.

Burglary, robbery, larceny

November 12, 1942. Transferred to Western State Penitentiary under the Act of 1921.

January 21, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

August 3, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Edmund C. Wingerd, Jr., Esquire, Chambersburg Trust Company Bldg., Chambersburg, Pa.

## FRASER, WILLIAM R.

# Huntingdon County

A-39

Operating motor vehicle while under influence of intoxicating liquor August 30, 1949. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$150 and 30 days' probation.

October 19, 1949. Application for pardon refused.

May 19, 1950. Reargument granted.

Herman Steerman, Esquire, 604 Land Title Building, Philadelphia 10, Pa.

#### JENKINS, RICHARD

# Indiana County

A-370

September 20, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from July 31, 1948.

Burglary, larceny

May 3, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

June 21, 1950. Continued to the September Session.

G. S. Parnell, Esquire, 650 Philadelphia Street, Indiana, Pa.

#### MALOOF, EDWARD

## Jefferson County

9415

September 2, 1947. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$200 and imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from May 26, 1947.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon; assault with intent to rob June 16, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

July 12, 1949. Sentence commuted.

marole. Released on

August 7, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Mrs. Nicholas Maloof, 102 Schaffer Avenue, Du Bois, Pa.

## EVANS, JOSEPH L.

#### Lackawanna County

#### A-242

December 3, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Lackawanna County Jail for 30 days.

# Operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated

March 21, 1950. Application for pardon refused.

August 11, 1950. Reargument granted.

John J. Snyder, Esquire, 501 Market Street, New Cumberland, Pa.

#### AGOSTINO, ANGELO

## Lackawanna County

4660

December 19, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 9 to 18 years.

Murder, in the second degree

Applications for commutation refused December 20, 1939, September 10, 1942, and July 8, 1943.

December 20, 1944. Released on parole.

May 25, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Mr. Angelo Agostino, 422 West Airy Street, Norristown, Pa.

#### CIANCHETTI, ERNEST

## Lackawanna County

4827

April 9, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years.

Applications for commutation refused April 18, 1949, December 15, 1941, September 10, 1942, September 29, 1943, and May 1, 1945.

Murder, in the second degree

October 25, 1946. Sentence commuted.

parole. Released on

June 6, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### LUXNER, DAVID

## Lancaster County

#### A-462

June 9, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Lancaster County Prison for from 6 months to 1 year.

## Public indecency

August 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Hamaker and Coho, Esquires, 53 North Duke Street, Lancaster, Pa.

#### WHITCRAFT, TITUS

## Lancaster County

9876

June 11, 1948. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from May 6, 1949.

Assault and battery with intent to ravish

June 23, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Charles W. Eaby, Esquire, 42 North Duke Street, Lancaster, Pa.

#### CLEAVER, HAROLD J., JR.

# Lawrence County

A-410

September 10, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 1½ to 3 years. Sentence to be computed from September 7, 1949.

Burglary

May 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Alice Cleaver, 355 East North Street, New Castle, Pa.

#### ELIAS, CHARLES E.

## Lawrence County

9976

June 24, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 7 years. Sentence to be computed from June 19, 1947.

Burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods

September 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 15, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

# GAGLIANO, JOHN ROSS

#### Luzerne County

#### A-412

February 2, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1 to 5 years.

#### Assault with intent to kill

June 6, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

G. Harold Watkins, Esquire, Law Building, Frackville, Pa.

#### KUBLER, JOHN

## Luzerne County

5482

September 26, 1930. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused November 19, 1941, December 17, 1942, December 23, 1943, October 3, 1945, November 13, 1946, and November 16 1948.

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

William L. Fox, Esquire, 1900 Land Title Building, Philadelphia 10, Pa.

#### WISNESKI, JOSEPH

# Luzerne County

5706

February 1, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 22 to 44 years.

Murder, in the second degree; arson, breaking, larceny Applications for commutation refused May 7, 1942, February 24, 1943, November 4, 1943, November 6, 1944, November 27, 1945, November 20, 1946, February 26, 1948, April 26, 1949, and January 17, 1950.

August 7, 1950. Reargument granted.

Herman J. Obert, Esquire, 1242 Fidelity-Philadelphia Trust Bldg., Philadelphia 9, Pa.

#### HUTTON, HOWARD WALTER

# Lycoming County

6455

February 25, 1933. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused May 27, 1943, and January 25, 1949.

May 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

June 21, 1950. Continued to September Session.

Witkin & Egan, Attorneys-at-Law, 911 Finance Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### SIKES, MELVIN KENNETH

## McKean County

2671

February 3, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from January 23, 1943.

Burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods

December 13, 1935. Application for commutation refused.

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

McVay and McVay, Attorneys-at-Law, 94 Main Street, Bradford, Pa.

## REES, WAYNE CURTIS

# McKean County

A-428

Assault with attempt to rape

June 2, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years.

July 19, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

McVay and McVay, Attorneys-at-Law, 94 Main Street, Bradford, Pa.

#### SCHEARER, WARD E.

# Monroe County

# A-463

July 8, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from July 5, 1947.

## Robbery

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### COMIDO, JOHN

# Montgomery County

A-312

May 2, 1949. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$1,000 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 7 years.

Arson

April 3, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

May 19, 1950. Continued to the September Session.

Elmer L. Menges, Esquire, National Bank Building, Ambler, Pa.

## McCANN, JOHN H.

## Montgomery County

9946

July 21, 1922. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Montgomery County Prison for 4 years.

Burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods

July 21, 1926. Released on parole.

September 20, 1949. Application for pardon refused.

August 8, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Philip Richman, Esquire, 43 South 19th Street, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

## CHATARY, MICHAEL

# Montgomery County

A-475

March 12, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years. Sentence to begin at the expiration of original sentence imposed on April 4, 1950.

Burglary

August 14, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Elizabeth Chatary, 6112 Lovatt Terrace, Philadelphia 11, Pa.

# NESBITT, CHARLES HENRY

# Northumberland County

9485

March 26, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from March 22, 1947.

Statutory rape

Applications for commutation refused September 23, 1948, and September 21, 1949.

August 2, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Marklin R. Knight, Esquire, 531 Pine Street, Williamsport, Pa.

#### SMOOGEN, JOSEPH F.

# Northumberland County

#### A-414

Sodomy, contributing to delinquency of minors

December 6, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from November 6, 1948.

June 19, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Frederick E. Lark, Esquire, Shamokin, Pa. Vincent V. Rovito, Esquire, Shamokin, Pa.

# WATSLOFF, VINCENT EDWARD

Northumberland County

A-403

April 25, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years. Sentence to be computed from April 4, 1949.

Robbery

May 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Catharine Alexander, 1728 York Road, Willow Grove, Pa.

### STONE, WILSON PETER

### Perry County

A-433

June 15, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from May 29, 1948.

Burglary

July 25, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Beatrice B. Stone, Mrs. Annie E. Stone, R. D. No. 1, Camp Hill, Pa.

#### ZALONKA, JOSEPH FRANCIS

Schuylkill County

9549

December 16, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Schuylkill County Prison for from 5 to 10 years.

Burglary, larceny

October 27, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

August 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

G. Harold Watkins, Esquire, Law Building, Frackville, Pa.

John P. McCord, Esquire, Law Building, Frackville, Pa.

#### BARTON, JOHN

# Schuylkill County

9966

September 9, 1935. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

September 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Envoy Elmer Prynn, Salvation Army Headquarters, 701 North Broad Street, Philadelphia 23, Pa.

#### BERES, PETER

# Philadelphia County

A-427

October 29, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from September 25, 1948.

Robbery

July 14, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

#### CAMPBELL, GEORGE KIRKLAND

# Philadelphia County

7443

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-on

January 8, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years.

Applications for commutation refused October 18, 1944, January 9, 1946, and February 19, 1947.

August 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

#### COOKE, GEORGE W.

## Philadelphia County

A-438

September 14, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from August 26, 1948.

Robbery

July 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

## GORDON, OSCAR M.

## Philadelphia County

#### A-474

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-on

June 15, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7 to 14 years. Sentence to be computed from March 6, 1945.

August 14, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

#### KIRBY, JAMES

#### Philadelphia County

6286

November 16, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from October 28, 1938.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, robbery

Applications for commutation refused March 26, 1943, January 19, 1945, May 29, 1946, and April 26, 1949.

June 12, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

#### LeHODGES, BENNETT

# Philadelphia County

2293

January 4, 1935. Sentenced to death.

Murder, in the first degree

April 24, 1935. Sentence commuted to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

July 12, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

# LOGSDON, CHARLES RAY

Philadelphia and Luzerne Counties

A-452

March 31, 1949. Sentenced in Philadelphia County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years for armed robbery. Sentence to be computed from March 16, 1949.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon September 23, 1949. Sentenced in Luzerne County to pay a fine of \$1,000 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. This sentence to run concurrently with sentence imposed in Philadelphia County.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

#### LOVUOLO, SILVIO

# Philadelphia County

3767

March 12, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from March 5, 1937.

Assault to rob, entering to commit a felony, carrying concealed deadly weapon Applications for commutation refused September 21, 1938, April 25, 1939, December 20, 1939, September 17, 1941, and March 20, 1942.

December 9, 1942. Sentence commuted.

parole. Released on

August 9, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

#### SMITH, GEORGE H.

Philadelphia County

6109

April 17, 1935. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused December 17, 1942, January 20, 1944, May 1, 1945, September 21, 1948, and September 20, 1949.

August 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

# ADAMS, CLARENCE HARRY

# Philadelphia County

A-457

September 6, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 6 years.

Released on

parole.

Burglary, larceny, possession of burglary tools

March 9, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from unexpired parole violation or February 6, 1948.

August 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Professor Brooks M. Lovett, 3911 Powelton Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### CHAVIS, PURCELL

## Philadelphia County

A-407

Robbery

November 8, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from October 29, 1946.

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Henry Nickols, 328 Earlham Terrace, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### COLLOZZI, DOMENICK

# Philadelphia County

#### A-422

Statutory rape

December 30, 1936. Sentenced to 3 years' probation.

July 10, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Mr. Michael Colozzi, 312 Manton Street, Philadelphia 47, Pa.

#### CUFF, JOSEPH JOHN

## Philadelphia County

#### 8413

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, assault February 13, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from February 4, 1941.

Applications for commutation refused May 29, 1946, and September 20, 1949.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Helen Kolb, 1021 West Orleans Street, Philadelphia 33, Pa. FRAWLEY, JACK K.

Philadelphia County

A-458

April 3, 1936. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

August 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Gertrude Blotcher, Mrs. Wendall Hartman, 4658 Shelbourne Street, Philadelphia 24, Pa.

#### GLYNN, ROBERT MARTIN

## Philadelphia County

A-461

September 22, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 6 months to 2 years. Sentence to be computed from September 3, 1949.

Larceny, receiving stolen goods

Released on parole.

August 9, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Mr. Robert Martin Glynn, 193 Trumbull Street, Hartford, Conn.

#### LEWIS, THOMAS G.

# Philadelphia County

A-420

October 8, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from September 4, 1946.

Murder, in the second degree

July 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Benjamin F. Jackson, 1620 W. North Avenue, Baltimore, Md.

### LOGAN, JERRY

# A-441

Burglary, assault and battery with intent to ravish, rape

## Philadelphia County

June 9, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from March 27, 1948.

August 2, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Hattie Logan, 3328 North Uber Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# MATTHEWS, JOSEPH DOUGLASS, JR.

# Philadelphia County

9567

March 31, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from January 30, 1947.

Burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods

October 26, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

June 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Coldelia Matthews, 2054 Annin Street, Philadelphia 46, Pa.

Reverend Richard H. Monrel, 2022 Pemberton Street, Philadelphia 46, Pa.

## MAYES, JAMES, JR.

# Philadelphia County

5110

December 21, 1936. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years.

Assault; robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, armed to rob

Applications for commutation refused December 18, 1940, February 19, 1942, July 8, 1943, November 16, 1944, November 27, 1945, November 20, 1946, February 26, 1948, and February 16, 1949.

January 12, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

January 25, 1950. Continued to September Session.

Mrs. Helen Grahame, 1741 T Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

### MULLANEY, JOHN P.

## Philadelphia County

#### A-476

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-on

January 7, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from December 3, 1947.

August 14, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. D. S. Wells, 68 North 34th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

## MURPHY, JOSEPH

# Philadelphia County

6313

April 16, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from September 27, 1939.

Murder, in the second degree

Applications for commutation refused March 26, 1943, March 29, 1944, March 28, 1945, April 16, 1947, May 18, 1948, and May 18, 1949.

March 27, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

May 18, 1950. Continued to the September Session.

Reverend Richard H. Monroe, 2022 Pemberton Street, Philadelphia 46, Pa.

#### PRICE, CHARLES E.

# Philadelphia County

A-478

Robbery

April 20, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State

Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to begin at the expiration of Delaware County sentence

August 10, 1949.

August 14, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Charles E. Price, 6848 Woolston Road, Philadelphia 38, Pa.

#### PRYOR, WILLIAM E.

## Philadelphia County

#### A-472

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon; carrying concealed deadly weapons July 11, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from June 22, 1946.

August 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Thomas Accoo, 5312 New Hall Street, Philadelphia 44, Pa.

## ROBINSON, GILBERT

## Philadelphia County

A-417

Robbery

October 3, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from September 26, 1944.

July 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Jean Robinson, 2134 Ellsworth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### WALKER, EUGENE

### Philadelphia County

#### A-473

# Carrying firearms without a license

January 24, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for period of 2 years. Sentence to be computed from December 25, 1949.

August 14, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend S. H. Irvin, 1203 North Sartain Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

### BALLEZZI, SIMON

## Philadelphia County

A-389

Blackmail, robbery, assault and battery, attempted sodomy

March 31, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from February 13, 1948.

May 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

June 9, 1950. Continued to the September Session.

James Dessen, Esquire, 503 Market Street National Bk. Bldg., Philadelphia 7, Pa.

#### BARTON, WILLIAM

#### Philadelphia County

## A-444

January 31, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from Janu-Robbery ary 20, 1949.

> August 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Harry Lapensohn, Esquire, 1711 Market Street National Bk. Bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.

#### CRAGER, WILLIAM J.

## Philadelphia County

7869

November 28, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 5 to 10 years.

May 28, 1945. Sentence commuted.

Rape

parole. Released on

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, 1505 Fox Building, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

## JOHNSON, MAJOR LEE

### Philadelphia County

## **A-466**

# Robbery

October 31, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. Sentence to be computed from October 19, 1940.

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, 1505 Fox Building, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

#### JOHNSON, SHERROD C., JR.

## Philadelphia County

7751

October 31, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. Sentence to be computed from October 19, 1940.

Robbery

Applications for commutation refused January 19, 1945, and December 18, 1946.

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, 1505 Fox Building, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

#### SINGLETON, RODMAN

## Philadelphia County

9896

May 7, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 25 to 50 years. Sentence to be computed from April 30, 1943.

Robbery

June 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, 1505 Fox Building, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

#### DeCERO, DOMINICK

# Philadelphia County

8863

January 27, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from January 8, 1944.

Aggravated assault and battery, rape

Applications for commutation refused November 19, 1947, and June 21, 1949.

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Martin G. Stein, Esquire, 811 Morris Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### GALLAGHER, GEORGE J.

# Philadelphia County

#### A-453

# Extortion

June 15, 1949. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$4,000 and imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for 3 years. Sentence to be computed from January 12, 1950.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

James F. Masterson, Esquire, 1702 Finance Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### GILES, ALBERT

# Philadelphia County

7643

June 28, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from  $22\frac{1}{2}$  to 45 years.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon; sodomy; rape

Applications for commutation refused November 16, 1944, January 9, 1946, and June 21, 1949.

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Charles F. G. Smith, Esquire, 1030 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### GRAEBER, HENRY S.

# Philadelphia County

#### A-456

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon; burglary; receiving stolen goods; carrying concealed deadly weapon without license April 14, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from March 5, 1948.

August 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Albert S. Oliensis, Esquire, 1518 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### SCHIAVO, JOSEPH T.

#### Philadelphia County

#### A-434

Burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods

September 4, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

July 26, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Albert S. Oliensis, Esquire, 1518 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# HABECKER, CHARLES ERNEST

# Philadelphia County

9879

May 28, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 4 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from February 2, 1948.

Murder, in the second degree

June 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

May 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

June 20, 1950. Continued to the September Session.

Thomas D. McBride, Esquire, 1529 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# JONES, JOHN ALLEN

# Philadelphia County

A-432

Aggravated assault and battery

October 21, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from August 30, 1949.

July 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Frank Zal, Esquire, 1807 Market Street National Bk. Bldg., Philadelphia 7, Pa.

# JOSEPH, DAVID

# Philadelphia County

#### A-31

Receiving stolen goods, burglary, larceny, conspiracy August 4, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 years 4 months to 25 years. Sentence to be computed from December 24, 1945.

October 18, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Philip Richman, Esquire, 43 South 19th Street, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

# KEHOE, JAMES G.

# Philadelphia County

A-423

June 10, 1947. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

July 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

H. Walter Geuther, Esquire, Weightman Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### KLECKNER, THEODORE JOHN

Philadelphia County

A-416

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-

January 26, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from January 15, 1949.

June 29, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Clelland L. Mitchell, Esquire, 1724 Lincoln-Liberty Building, Philadelphia 7, Pa. McDEVITT, JOSEPH P.

Philadelphia County

A-460

May 13, 1947. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$12.50.

Pool selling, bookmaking

August 9, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

John Patrick Walsh, Esquire, 1732 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

# McNEMAR, GEORGE 4203

Murder, in the second de-

gree

# Philadelphia County

May 4, 1934. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Applications for commutation refused December 14, 1938, December 20, 1939, November 21, 1941, October 26, 1942, and May 27, 1943.

May 4, 1944. Released on parole.

December 16, 1949. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

February 21, 1950. Continued to September Session.

H. Clayton Louderback, Esquire, 1418 Packard Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### MICCICHI, PROVIDENZA

# Philadelphia County

5979

April 1, 1940. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the State Industrial Home for Women.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused October 26, 1942, July 12, 1944, and May 18, 1949.

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Raymond Pace Alexander, Esquire, 40 South 19th Street, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

## WOJCIAK, MATTHEW

# Philadelphia County

9906

Burglary, robbery, carrying concealed deadly weapons January 21, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from December 31, 1947.

September 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Raymond Pace Alexander, Esquire, Matthew W. Bullock, Jr., Esquire, 40 South 19th Street, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

#### MORRIS, JOHN ALBERT

# Philadelphia County

#### A-443

Assault and battery with intent to commit sodomy

February 4, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years.

August 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

J. Herman Kahn, Esquire, 1204 Land Title Building, Philadelphia 10, Pa.

#### MULLEN, FRANCIS

# Philadelphia County

A-418

December 7, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years.

Assault, robbery

July 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Alexander S. Segal, Esquire, 12 South 12th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# O'NEILL, WILLIAM, JR.

#### 9790

Murder, in the second degree; robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon; burglary; aggravated assault and battery; operating motor vehicle without consent of owner

G. A. Wilderman, Esquire, 1420 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# Philadelphia County

September 5, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. Sentence to be computed from March 29, 1940.

May 18, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 2, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

#### PANDOLI, MARIO

# Philadelphia County

A-404

February 24, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from November 19, 1947.

Voluntary manslaughter

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Alvin J. Bello, Esquire, 1003 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### PETERS, RICHARD

# Philadelphia County

A-471

December 12, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from October 18, 1948.

Larceny of automobile

August 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Alexander E. Gragdon, Esquire, 603 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

# RAMSBOTTOM, WILLIAM J.

# Philadelphia County

#### A-415

Assault and battery, agmonths gravated assault and from Mattery with intent to ravish, aggravated assault and battery, rape, parole. adultery

March 17, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 11 to 22 months. Sentence to be computed from March 18, 1943.

October 18, 1943. Released on parole.

June 20, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

C. Max Ivine, Esquire, 731 Philadelphia Saving Fund Building, 12 South 12th Street, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

# ROSETTI, RICCO P.

#### Philadelphia County

A-424

September 12, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years Sentence to be computed from March 27, 1947.

Burglary

July 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Robert D. Hanson, Esquire, Blackstone Building, 112 Market Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

## ROYSTER, CALVIN

# Philadelphia County

**A**-333

September 17, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from August 31, 1948.

Robbery

April 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

May 18, 1950. Continued to September Session.

Morris Passon, Esquire, 1421 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# SANSONE, FRANK

# Philadelphia County

A-430

Assault to rob, robbery by hold-up, entering to rob

November 26, 1928. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from November 27, 1928.

parole. Released on

July 24, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Milton M. Weiss, Esquire, 1560 Stevens Street, Philadelphia 24, Pa.

# SIMPSON, LEONARD

# Philadelphia County

9996

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, larceny December 9, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 25 to 50 years. Sentence to be computed from November 19, 1940.

September 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Jerome H. Jaspan, Esquire, National Bank Building, 703 Market Street, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

#### SLADKO, WILLIAM

# Philadelphia County

8438

June 17, 1938. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused May 29, 1946, June 24, 1947, and September 21, 1949.

August 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

William Austin Meehan, Esquire, 1116 Girard Trust Company Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### STROCKBINE, JOSEPH GEORGE

Philadelphia, Montgomery and Delaware Counties

A-465

December 17, 1948. Sentenced in Philadelphia County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from December 1, 1948.

Larceny of automobile, robbery, burglary May 13, 1949. Sentenced in Montgomery County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. This sentence to run concurrently with sentence imposed in Philadelphia County.

March 28, 1949. Sentenced in Delaware County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. This sentence to run concurrently with sentence imposed in Philadelphia County.

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Michael J. McEnery, Esquire, 1409 Finance Building, 1428 South Penn Square, Philadelphia, Pa.

# SUTTON, SEYMOUR

# Philadelphia County

9898

September 17, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from June 30, 1947.

Murder, in the second degree

June 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

July 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Emanuel Romm, Esquire, 708-10 Fox Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### SWEENY, JAMES J.

# Philadelphia County

9420

July 1, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from June 21, 1943.

Robbery, burglary

June 14, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

June 26, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herman H. Yaffe, Esquire, 2140 Land Title Building, Philadelphia 10, Pa.

# TALARICO, PETER ANTHONY

# Philadelphia County

5645

October 29, 1934. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Applications for commutation refused March 20, 1942, and January 19, 1945.

Murder, in the first degree

September 7, 1949. Application for commutation filed.

October 18, 1949. Continued to January 1950 Session.

January 18, 1950. Continued to September Session.

George Maxman, Esquirc, 1340 Widener Building, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

#### TILGHMAN, LAWRENCE WESLEY

# Philadelphia County

#### A-402

Burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods

March 31, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 5 to 10 years.

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Robert C. Duffy, Esquire, 1224 Lincoln-Liberty Building, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

# WRIGHT, WALTER J.

# Philadelphia County

4934

February 20, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1 to 2 years.

Aggravated assault and battery, mayhem, malicious mischief July 2, 1940. Application for commutation refused.

parole. Released on

August 10, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

E. Washington Rhodes, Esquire, 526 South 16th Street, Philadelphia 46, Pa.

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## BURTCH, CLYDE CHRISTIAN

#### Allegheny County

8056

February 20, 1942. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from September 11, 1941.

Murder, in the second degree

Applications for commutation refused October 3, 1945, December 18, 1947, and October 18, 1949.

August 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

John J. McGrath, Esquire, 2404 Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### DRAN, THOMAS R.

#### A-503

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon; violation of Firearms Act

#### Allegheny County

December 15, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from November 22, 1948.

September 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Jacob Shulgold, Esquire, 607 Grant Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### DURANT, SAMUEL J.

#### Allegheny County

A-390

October 11, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Jail for from 1½ to 3 years. Sentence to be computed from August 23, 1949.

Burglary

May 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

June 20, 1950. Continued to October Session.

Louis C. Glasso, Esquire, 705 Plaza Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### FERRARO, ANTHONY

#### Allegheny County

4593

January 28, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from December 15, 1947.

Burglary

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ralph T. Bell, Esquire, Grant Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### GARNER, PHILIP

#### Allegheny County

A-507

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-

February 8, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from November 25, 1949.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Alvin J. Porsche, Esquire, 530 Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### HARTILL, WILLARD

#### Allegheny County

7070

April 7, 1938. Placed on probation for a period of 1 year for receiving stolen goods.

Receiving stolen goods, lottery

November 26, 1940. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$25, for lottery.

March 25, 1941. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$150, for lottery.

June 22, 1945. Application for pardon refused.

September 8, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Joseph M. Gelman, Esquire, 621 Friek Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### HICKEY, MICHAEL J.

Allegheny County

**A**-520

January 20, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 2 to 4 years.

Burglary

September 12, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

William V. Keller, Esquire, 104-06 Chestnut Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

#### HOFFMAN, HARRY ED., JR.

Allegheny County

8496

November 28, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from April 8, 1945.

Statutory rape

Applications for commutation refused July 24, 1946, June 25, 1947, and June 15, 1948.

August 8, 1949. Application for commutation filed.

September 21, 1949. Continued to October 1950 Session.

Ben Paul Jubelirer, Esquire, Jones Law Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### LAMBERT, JAMES

#### Allegheny County

3729

May 24, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years.

Applications for commutation refused September 29, 1943, November 7, 1945, February 20, 1947.

Murder, in the second degree, robbery, receiving stolen goods

March 10, 1948. Sentence commuted.

parole. Released on

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

oy T. Clunk, Esquire, 20 Bakewell Building, ittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### RAGER, FLOYD T.

#### Allegheny County

8945

April 26, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from April 24, 1943.

Burglary

October 30, 1947. Sentence commuted.

parole. Released on

September 11, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Roy T. Clunk, Esquire, 620 Bakewell Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### REED, JOHN HENRY

#### 7765

Burglary, robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

#### Allegheny County

January 13, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from November 28, 1942.

Applications for commutation refused January 19, 1945, April 17, 1946, May 21, 1947, September 22, 1948 and October 18, 1949.

September 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Roy T. Clunk, Esquire, 320 Bakewell Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### LEWIS, REAL

#### Allegheny County

A-490

January 17, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from August 23, 1946.

Robbery

August 28, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

S. H. Reichman, Esquire, 1219 Plaza Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### LYLE, CHARLES

#### Allegheny County

#### A-442

April 19, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from January 10, 1950.

# Burglary, receiving stolen goods

August 3, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 8, 1950. Continued to October Session.

S. H. Reichman, Esquire, 1219 Plaza Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

# RYCHORCEWICZ, CASIMER

#### Allegheny County

A-502

November 10, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 4 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from October 24, 1947.

Burglary

September 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

S. H. Reichman, Esquire, 1219 Plaza Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### PYATT, HENRY STEVENS

Allegheny County

A-511

May 30, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 6 to 12 years.

Sodomy

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Benjamin W. Haseltine, Jr., Esquire, 719 Plaza Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### BUSH, ROBERT S., JR.

#### Allegheny County

9561

March 30, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from January 15, 1948.

Rape, statutory rape, incestuous adultery

Applications for commutation refused October 26, 1948 and October 18, 1949.

September 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Esther R. Bush, 628 Railroad Street, Springdale, Pa.

#### COYLE, CLARK

#### Allegheny County

A-483

Indecent assault

June 22, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for 8 years. Sentence to be computed from June 2, 1948.

September 5, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. William Walsh, 4533 North Raeine Avenue, Chieago, Ill.

#### CRUTHERS, FINLEY M.

Allegheny and Centre Counties

A-500

April 15, 1926. Sentenced in Allegheny County for from 10 to 20 years for robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon; breaking and escaping penitentiary April 6, 1932. Sentenced in Centre County for from 10 to 20 years in the Western State Penitentiary for breaking and escaping penitentiary. Sentence to begin at expiration of original sentence.

December 9, 1942. Sentence commuted under new ruling of Supreme Court.

February 1, 1943. Released on parole.

September 11, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Mr. Asa A. Atwater, 1304 Sumae Street, McKeesport, Pa.

#### ROBERTS, FRANK

#### Allegheny County

8565

October 2, 1939. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 20 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from July 27, 1939.

Robbery; receiving stolen goods; being armed with an offensive weapon

Applications for commutation refused November 13, 1946, October 15, 1947, October 26, 1948, and October 18, 1949.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. William Roberts, 343 Kamback Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### MILON, LEVI

#### Allegheny County

A-521

Felonious assault, assault and battery

May 14, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 7 years. Sentence to be computed from January 23, 1948.

September 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### EDMOND, JAMES

#### Philadelphia County

4884

February 13, 1930. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused July 2, 1940, July 8, 1941, January 15, 1942, April 27, 1943, November 16, 1944, November 7, 1945, November 13, 1946, October 15, 1947, October 26, 1948, and October 18, 1949.

August 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### GILBERT, HILTON Philadelphia County 9799 October 31, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from August 12, 1947. Murder, in the second

degree

April 26, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### MAJOR, WILLIAM

#### Philadelphia County

9569

August 18, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from July 18, 1946.

Robbery

Applications for commutation refused October 26, 1948, and October 18, 1949.

August 28, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### McGEE, WILLIAM

#### Philadelphia County

A-487

August 6, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from July 20, 1946.

Robbery

August 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Peniteutiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

# TATE, CHARLES

# Philadelphia County

7985

January 8, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. Sentence to be computed from December 29, 1939.

Robbery

Applications for commutation refused June 22, 1945, and September 20, 1949.

August 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

WILLIAMS, CHARLES	Philadelphia County
9893	October 16, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from May
Robbery	6, 1946.

June 21, 1949. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

# DABNEY, DAVID

# Philadelphia County

A-523

Burglary

April 14, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from April 8, 1949.

September 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Ware Dabney, 3900 Reno Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# DIDDLEBOCK, LEWIS FRANCIS

# Philadelphia County

6837

August 23, 1935. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused November 4, 1943, November 7, 1945, November 13, 1946, and December 14, 1948.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Joseph A. Kenny, Holy Family Church, Philadelphia, Pa.

# DOVER, ERNEST

# A-486

# Aggravated assault and battery, robbery

# Philadelphia County

June 6, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from June 26, 1945.

August 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Frances Dover, 4026 Sansom Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Reverend Johnson, 2042 Federal Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# GILMORE, JAMES

# Philadelphia County

A-519

August 12, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from July Robbery 27, 1946.

> Application September 12, 1950. for commutation filed.

Mrs. Ophelia Gilmore, 516 Bassitte Street, Columbus, Ohio

# HAMILTON, RAYMOND

# Philadelphia County

9153

October 10, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Robbery

Applications for commutation refused December 17, 1949 and May 18, 1949.

September 12, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Beulah Dunn, 348 Bond Street, Elizabeth, N. J.

# MONK, CHARLES

## 7612

Assault, being armed with an offensive weapon with intent to rob

# Philadelphia County

October 27, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from October 14, 1941.

Applications for commutation refused November 16, 1944, November 20, 1946, and October 26, 1948.

September 5, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Harry S. Monk, 2225 Howarth Street, Frankford, Philadelphia, Pa.

# MOORE, ROBERT EDWARD

# Philadelphia County

# A-344

February 4, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 7 years. Sentence to be computed from January 21, 1949.

# Robbery

April 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

May 18, 1950. Continued to October Session.

Mrs. Robert E. Moore, 2620 North 5th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# ROY, JAMES FRANKLIN

# Philadelphia County

A-485

Murder, in the second degree

April 29, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from December 23, 1947.

August 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Ernest Hill, 907 North 13th Street, Philadelphia 23, Pa.

# SMITH, WILLIE LOUIS

# Philadelphia County

9754

March 19, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from January 7, 1947.

Manslaughter

March 22, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Tessie Smith, 949 North 11th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# TAYLOR, WILLIAM

# Philadelphia County

4717

October 14, 1931. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused January 23, 1940, March 20, 1942, May 27, 1943, May 29, 1946, October 15, 1947, October 26, 1948, and October 18, 1949.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Harry Maloney, 2320 Montgomery Avenue, Philadelphia 21, Pa.

# THORN, HENRY AMBROSE alias TRESSLER, HENRY JOSEPH

# Philadelphia County

# A-480

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon April 20, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentenced to be computed from August 10, 1949.

August 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Paul L. Zuck, 9 South Wakefield Road, Norristown, Pa.

# BANKS, SAMUEL

# Philadelphia County

# A-484

June 27, 1934. Placed on probation for 1 year for setting up and maintaining illegal lottery.

April 16, 1946. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$25.00 for setting up and maintaining illegal lottery.

Setting up and maintaining illegal lottery, sodomy January 21, 1947. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$50.00 for setting up and maintaining illegal lottery.

August 5, 1947. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$50.00 for setting up and maintaining illegal lottery.

October 23, 1947. Placed on probation for 5 years for sodomy.

September 29, 1948. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$150.00 for setting up and maintaining illegal lottery.

May 17, 1949. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$100.00 for setting up and maintaining illegal lottery.

August 28, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Michael J. McEnery, Esquire, 1409 Finance Building, 1428 South Penn Square, Philadelphia, Pa.

# BARTON, WILLIAM

# Philadelphia County

# A-444

January 31, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from January 20, 1949.

# Robbery

August 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 14, 1950. Continued to October Session.

Harry Lapensohn, Esquire, 1711 Market Street National Bank Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

# BOLBER, MORRIS

# Philadelphia County

9488

January 7, 1942. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

August 2, 1948. Application for commutation filed.

September 21, 1948. Continued to March, 1950 Session.

April 6, 1950. Continued to the October Session.

Bernard R. Cohn, Esquire, 1411 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# CALLAHAN, JAMES

# Philadelphia County

3949

July 31, 1931. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 60 years.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon; aggravated assault and battery Applications for commutation refused October 18, 1938, October 19, 1939 and July 2, 1940.

April 16, 1942. Sentenced commuted.

April 30, 1942. Released on parole.

September 8, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

James Dessen, Esquire, 503 Market Street National Bank Building, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

# CALLOWAY, SAMUEL E.

# Philadelphia County

## A-518

Aggravated assault and battery, carrying concealed deadly weapons May 12, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 1 to 2 years.

September 12, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Morris Passon, Esquire, 1421 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# LEWIS, WALTER

# Philadelphia County

# A-492

Solicitation to commit sodomy

January 6, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 1 to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from November 16, 1949.

August 28, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Morris Passon, Esquire, l421 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# CANTRELL, CHARLES ALEXANDER

# Philadelphia County

9484

October 25, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from September 17, 1946.

Murder, in the second degree

Applications for commutation refused September 21, 1948, and September 20, 1949.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, 1505 Fox Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

# CARUSO, JOHN T.

Philadelphia County

9935

April 25, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years.

Murder, in the second degree

September 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

William A. Robbins, Esquire, 812 Fox Building, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

# DOAK, JOSEPH P.

# A-489

Larceny of auto, receiving stolen goods, conspiracy, operating auto without consent of owner

# Philadelphia County

December 12, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from September 27, 1948.

August 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Robert D. Hanson, Esquire, Blackstone Building, 112 Market Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

# DeCERO, DOMINICK

# Philadelphia County

8863

January 27, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from January 8, 1944.

Aggravated assault and battery, rape

Applications for commutation refused November 9, 1947, and June 21, 1949.

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 14, 1950. Continued to October Session.

Martin G. Stein, Esquire, 811 Morris Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

# FLOOD, JOHN

# Philadelphia County

9483

October 27, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from March 27, 1943.

Murder, in the second degree

September 21, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Tobias Goldberg, Esquire, 1508 Robinson Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

# SMITHERS, WILLIAM J.

# Philadelphia County

A-516

April 28, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 25 to 50 years. Sentence to be computed from April 12, 1943.

Burglary

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Tobias Goldberg, Esquire, 635 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

# GILLARD, JOHN JAMES

# Philadelphia County

7952

June 8, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 50 to 100 years. Sentence to be computed from May 19, 1938.

Robbery

Applications for commutation refused May 22, 1945, June 14, 1948, and June 21, 1949.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

John F. Finney, Esquire, 902 Finance Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

# HATRY, ROBERT E.

# Philadelphia County

9990

June 10, 1940. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

September 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Charles F. C. Smith, Esquire, 1030 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

# JONES, JOHN ALLEN

# Philadelphia County

# A-432

October 21, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from August 30, 1949.

Aggravated assault and battery

July 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 15, 1950. Continued to October Session.

Frank Zal, Esquire, 1807 Market Street National Bank Building, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

# MESKILL, JAMES

# A-506

Assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery, wantonly pointing firearms, carrying concealed deadly weapons

# Philadelphia County

August 26, 1949. Sentence suspended and placed on probation for a period of 3 years.

September 11, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Alexander E. Bragdon, Esquire, 603 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

# MORRIS, JOHN ALBERT

# Philadelphia County

A-443

Assault and battery with intent to commit sodomy February 4, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years.

August 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 14, 1950. Continued to October Session.

J. Herman Kahn, Esquire, 1204 Land Title Building, Philadelphia 10, Pa.

# RAMSBOTTOM, WILLIAM J.

A-415

Assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery with intent to ravish, aggravated assault and battery, rape, adultery

# Philadelphia County

March 17, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 11 to 22 months. Sentence to be computed from March 18, 1943.

October 18, 1943. Released on parole.

June 20, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

September 14, 1950. Continued to October Session.

C. Max Ivins, Esquire, 731 Philadelphia Saving Fund Building, 12 South 12th Street, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

# MULLEN, FRANCIS

# Philadelphia County

A-418

December 7, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years.

Assault, robbery

July 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 14, 1950. Continued to October Session.

Alexander S. Segal, Esquire, 12 South 12th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# NATHANIEL, THOMAS

# Philadelphia County

A-508

December 31, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 months, for assault and battery, indecent assault, sodomy. Sentence to be computed from December 6, 1937.

Assault and battery, indecent assault, sodomy, enticing a minor March 7, 1939. Released on parole.

October 30, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for 3 years for enticing a minor. Sentence to be computed from September 21, 1948.

September 11, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Rappaport, Lagakos & Blank, Attorneys-at-Law, '32 Land Title Building, Philadelphia 10, Pa.

# O'NEILL, WILLIAM, JR.

9790

Murder, in the second degree, being armed with an offensive weapon; burglary; aggravated assault and battery; operating motor vehicle without consent of owner

# Philadelphia County

September 5, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. Sentence to be computed from March 29, 1940.

May 18, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 2, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 14, 1950. Continued to October Session.

C. A. Wilderman, Esquire, 1420 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# PASSIONE, CARLO

Philadelphia County

A-504

December 31, 1937. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

September 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ferome H. Jaspan, Esquire, 703 Market Street National Bank Building, uniper and Market Streets, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

# SIMPSON, LEONARD

# Philadelphia County

9996

December 9, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 25 to 50 years. Sentence to be computed from November 19, 1940.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, larceny September 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 14, 1950. Continued to October Session.

Jerome H. Jaspan, Esquire, 703 Market Street National Bank Building, Juniper and Market Streets, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

#### RULLO, WILLIAM

# Philadelphia County

**A**-488

July 30, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from July 21, 1947.

Robbery

August 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

J. Sydney Hoffman, Esquire, 910 Market Street National Bank Building, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

#### SANSONE, FRANK

# Philadelphia County

A-430

November 26, 1928. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from November 27, 1928.

Assault to rob, robbery by hold-up, entering to rob

...... Released on parole.

July 24, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

September 14, 1950. Continued to October Session.

Milton M. Weiss, Esquire, 1560 Stevens Street, Philadelphia 24, Pa.

# SCHEUREN, JOSEPH

# Philadelphia County

3680

March 7, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 60 years.

Applications for communication refused April 20, 1938, and December 14, 1938.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-on

July 14, 1939. Sentence commuted.

August , 1939. Released on parole.

August 21, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Mervin J. Brenner, Esquire, 1418 Packard Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### SHEED, WILLIAM

#### 7723

Robbery, carrying concealed deadly weapon, unlawfully carrying firearms without a license

# Philadelphia County

December 9, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from November 28, 1941.

Applications for commutation refused January 19, 1945, December 18, 1946, and October 26, 1948.

August 25, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Louis Mitchell Paul, Esquire, 606, 1414 South Penn Square, Philadelphia, Pa.

Joseph D. Golden, Esquire, 407 South 46th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### SUTTON, SEYMOUR

# Philadelphia County

9898

September 17, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from June 30, 1947.

Murder, in the second degree

June 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

July 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 14, 1950. Continued to October Session.

Emanuel Romm, Esquire, 708-10 Fox Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### SWEENEY, JAMES J.

# Philadelphia County

9420

July 1, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from June 21, 1943.

Robbery, burglary

June 14, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

June 26, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 14, 1950. Continued to October Session.

Herman H. Yaffe, Esquire, 2140 Land Title Building, Philadelphia 10, Pa.

#### TALARICO, PETER ANTHONY

# Philadelphia County

5646

October 29, 1934. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Applications for commutation refused March 20, 1942, and January 19, 1945.

Murder, in the first degree

September 7, 1949. Application for commutation filed.

October 18, 1949. Continued to January 1950 Session.

January 18, 1950. Continued to September Session.

September 15, 1950. Continued to October Session.

George Maxman, Esquire, 1340 Widener Building, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

#### DARCY, DAVID

#### A-306

#### **Bucks County**

February 16, 1949. Sentenced to death.

October 24, 1949. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

January 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

March 27, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, June 26, 1950.

# Murder, in the first degree

# \*(Capital Case)

April 13, 1950. Continued to May.

May 26, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

June 23, 1950. Governor issued respite staying execution to week beginning Monday, October 9, 1950.

June 23, 1950. Reargument granted.

September 15, 1950. Continued to October Session.

Witkin & Egan, Attorneys-at-Law, 911 Finance Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### FOSTER, HAROLD

#### **Bucks County**

A-352

September 7, 1949. Sentenced to death.

March 20, 1950. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

March 27, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, June 26, 1950.

Murder, in the first degree

April 17, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

\*(Capital Case)

May 26, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

June 23, 1950. Governor issued respite staying execution to week beginning Monday, October 9, 1950.

June 23, 1950. Reargument granted.

September 15, 1950. Continued to October Session.

Donald B. Smith, Esquire, Perkasie, Pa.

C. William Freed, Jr., Esquire, Quakertown, Pa.

#### ZIETZ, HARRY

# Bucks County

A-351

September 7, 1949. Sentenced to death.

March 20, 1950. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

March 27, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, June 26, 1950.

Murder, in the first degree

April 17, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

\*(Capital Case)

May 26, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

June 23, 1950. Governor issued respite staying execution to week beginning Monday, October 9, 1950.

June 23, 1950. Reargument granted.

September 15, 1950. Continued to October Session.

G. Coe Farrier, Esquire, Byberry Road and Depue, Somerton, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### DA VERSA, DOMINICK

#### Westmoreland County

#### A-499

January 24, 1950. Sentenced to death.

May 22, 1950. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

# Murder, in the first degree

\*(Capital Case)

June 22, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, September 25, 1950.

September 5, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 15, 1950. Continued to October Session.

Sebastian C. Pugliese, Esquire, 2901 Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

Paul K. McCormick, Esquire, Greensburg, Pa.

#### HIMES, DAVID ROY

# Armstrong County

8073

August 25, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7 to 14 years. Sentence to be computed from July 4, 1944.

Murder, in the second degree

Applications for commutation refused October 3, 1945, February 20, 1947 and September 22, 1948.

September 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### McCUE, JAMES P.

# Beaver County

A-37

May 14, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from May 2, 1947.

Burglary, larceny

October 19, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Howard Cochran, Veteran's Affairs Office, Court House, Beaver, Pa.

#### WIGFIELD, ROY CALVIN

#### Bedford County

9514

April 16, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from March 9, 1945.

Burglary

Applications for commutation refused September 22, 1948 and October 19, 1949.

September 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

George Kunkel, Esquire, 712 Telegraph Building, Harrisburg, Pa.

# ECKER, CLAUDE DANIEL, JR.

# Berks County

9139

June 13, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from January 8, 1946.

Robbery

November 20, 1947. Application for commutation refused.

September 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Caroline Martin, R. D. #1, Temple, Pa.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia 30, Pa.

#### ECKERT, ROBERT JAMES

# **Bucks County**

8573

December 5, 1935. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degee

Applications for commutation refused November 13, 1946, and October 16, 1947.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, 1505 Fox Building, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

#### GUCCIARDO, GIACOMO

#### Bucks County

2252

December 3, 1929. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Applications for commutation refused May 1, 1935, November 17, 1937, November 16, 1938, June 6, 1939, November 16, 1939, July 2, 1940, February 19, 1942.

Murder, in the first degree

March 23, 1943. Sentence commuted.

April 20, 1943. Released on parole.

Applications for pardon refused June 22, 1945, and June 22, 1949.

August 23, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Lovis Lipschitz, Esquire, 1529 Walnut Street, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### HAYES, NICHOLAS G.

# **Bucks County**

A-513

September 14, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years. Sentence to be computed from May 20, 1948.

Burglary

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### WANKO, STEVE

# Cambria County

A-524

Burglary

January 31, 1949. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$10,000, and to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from January 20, 1949.

September 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Bruce A. Sciotto, Esquire, 308 First National Bank Building, Johnstown, Pa.

# FIKE, RUSSELL H.

#### Centre County

A-495

Aggravated assault and battery

January 23, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years. Sentence to be computed from October 28, 1949.

September 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Eugene William Lederer, Esquire, 316 East College Avenue, State College, Pa.

#### GOODWIN, FLOYD BRUCE

# Centre County

5778

August 9, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed at expiration of sentence from Fayette County or January 19, 1947.

Prison breach, larceny of motor vehicle

Applications for commutation refused May 26, 1942, April 27, 1943, and October 19, 1949.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### KELLY, JOHN ARTHUR

# Centre County

5108

January 24, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from January 2, 1948.

Breaking and escaping penitentiary

Applications for commutation refused December 19, 1940, September 12, 1946, September 22, 1948, and October 19, 1949.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. John W. Kelley, R. D. #1, Clarksville, Pa.

#### CIPRA, ELIZABETH BAILEY Alias Betty Bennefield

Crawford County

A-496

September 27, 1948. Sentenced to an indeterminate term of imprisonment in the Pennsylvania State Industrial Home for Women, at Muncy.

Forgery

September 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

George C. Magee, Jr., Esquire, 353 Center Street, Meadville, Pa.

# HOVIS, JOHN BERNARD

# Crawford County

9598

February 24, 1947. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$100.00 and imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from November 14, 1946.

Forgery

November 16, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Burton B. Hovis, Cochranton, Pa.

#### STEES, WILLIAM F.

#### Dauphin County

5633

March 20, 1933. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused February 19, 1942, October 26, 1942, November 21, 1943, January 19, 1945, January 9, 1946, December 18, 1946, and December 17, 1947.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### ADAMS, RUFUS

## Delaware County

#### A-514

Voluntary manslaughter

October 10, 1949. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$100.00 and imprisonment in the Broadmeadows Prison Farm for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from August 15, 1949.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Jacob Sapovitz, Esquire, Suite 602, Crozer Building, Chester, Pa.

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ROGERS	LEWIS

#### Delaware County

A-515

October 7, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Broadmeadows Prison Farm for from 4 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from July 16, 1948.

Voluntary manslaughter

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Jacob Sapovitz, Esquire, 602 Crozer Building, Chester, Pa.

#### BIESTER, PAUL

## Delaware County

5963

March 19, 1940. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$223.50 and to imprisonment in the Broadmeadows Prison Farm for from 3 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from February 28, 1940.

Robbery

September 9, 1942. Application for commutation refused.

February 3, 1943. Released on parole.

August 16, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

James A. Cochrane, Esquire, Taylor Foundation Building, 419 Edgmont Avenue, Chester, Pa.

#### MATLACK, WALTER L.

### Delaware County

#### A-481

# Maintaining a disorderly house

June 19, 1946. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$500.00 and imprisonment in the Delaware County Jail for period of 1 year.

September 11, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Hon. Lloyd H. Wood, 5 East Airy Street, Norristown, Pa.

H. Lester Haws, Esquire,15 Rittenhouse Place,Ardmore, Pa.

#### SCHLEINKOFER, EDWARD

#### A-491

Larceny; conspiracy; carrying concealed deadly weapons; assault; robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Philip Richman, Esquire, 43 South 19th Street, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

#### Delaware County

January 2, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 20 years.

August 28, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

#### SHEA, JOHN JOSEPH

#### Delaware County

A-519

Burglary, larceny

March 28, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Pennsylvania Industrial School for Boys, at Huntingdon, for an indeterminate term. Maximum term of 20 years. Same day sentence suspended.

September 11, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Mr. John J. Shea, Box 381, Villanova, Pa.

# SHIFFLETT, ROY L.

# Delaware County

A-501

Murder, in the second degree

January 7, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from November 18, 1946.

September 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia 30, Pa.

#### WEAVER, HENRY W.

Delaware County

A-40

October 7, 1943. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

October 19, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Ophelia Harris, 1227 North 27th Street, Philadelphia 32, Pa.

#### WRIGHT, SHERMAN H.

#### Delaware County

October 11, 1944. Sentenced to

A-497

imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. Sentence to be computed from July 5, 1944.

Burglary, larceny

September 8, 1950. for commutation filed. Application

Miss Gladys Wright, 73 Partram Avenue, Lansdowne, Pa.

# KUDA, JOHN

Fayette County

9389

January 4, 1936. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused June 16, 1948, and June 24, 1949.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### ZWIERZELEWSKI, JOHN

# Fayette County

A-482

October 25, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from June 27, 1948.

Robbery

September 5, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

# GORLESKI, JOHN

# Lackawanna County

9244

February 21, 1939. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 26½ to 53 years. Sentence to begin September 21, 1942.

Breaking and entering, larceny of automobile

Applications for commutation refused February 26, 1948, and February 16, 1949.

August 17, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

David J. Reedy, Jr., Esquire, 410 Mears Building, Scranton, Pa.

# MUMMAW, HARRY M.

# Lancaster County

A-505

October 11, 1946. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$100.00 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from September 25, 1946.

Robbery

September 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Hamaker and Coho, Attorneys-at-Law, 53 North Duke Street, Lancaster, Pa.

# GEASEY, PAUL C.

# Lebanon County

A-498

September 17, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Lebanon County Jail for from 1½ to 3 years. Sentence to be computed from August 21, 1949.

Manslaughter

September 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Christian R. Gingrich, Esquire, Annville, Pa.

# BARNAK, JOHN

#### 9759

# Murder, in the second degree

# Lehigh County

August 12, 1946. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$500.00 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from December 22, 1945.

March 23, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Paul A. McGinley, Esquire, 513 Linden Street, Allentown, Pa.

#### HAROWICZ, ADAM

# Luzerne County

5427

March 17, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

October 16, 1941. Application for commutation refused.

January 6, 1943. Sentence commuted.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-

February 6, 1943. Released on parole.

June 7, 1947. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$500.00 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to begin at the expiration of parole violation.

March 4, 1949. Maximum sentence commuted.

September 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Johnston and Pope, Attorneys-at-Law, 526 Second National Bank Building, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

# VUKOVICH, MILAN P.

# Luzerne County

9064

April 29, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from February 15, 1946.

October 30, 1947. Sentence commuted.

Manslaughter

January 5, 1948. Released on parole.

April 26, 1949. Application for pardon refused.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

John H. Bonin, Esquire, 505 Traders Bank Building, Hazleton, Pa.

# D'ANTONIO, HARRY

# Montgomery County

A-493

September 13, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from July 10, 1940.

Rape, sodomy

parole. Released on

September 7, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Charles H. Brunner, Jr., Esquire, 21 East Airy Street, Norristown, Pa.

# MOLIN, WALTER

# Northampton County

6429

February 20, 1923. Sentenced to death.

June 14, 1923. Sentence commuted to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused May 27, 1943, June 13, 1944, September 23, 1948, and September 21, 1949.

August 28, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Witkin & Egan, Attorneys-at-Law, 911 Finance Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

# MOORE, ELWOOD L.

# Somerset County

#### A-517

Burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods

November 12, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years.

September 12, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Leland W. Walker, Esquire, Somerset, Pa.

### DUDLEY, WILLIAM

# Washington County

9952

Voluntary manslaughter, assault with intent to kill November 18, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from April 8, 1947.

September 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

September 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. George W. Dudley, 438 Monaca Road, Aliquippa, Pa.

# NEAL, WILLIAM THOMAS

Washington County

A-522

November 16, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from August 15, 1948.

Voluntary manslaughter

September 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Vincent R. Massock, Esquire, 547-8 Washington Trust Building, Washington, Pa.

## THOME, JOSEPH N.

# Washington County

9973

November 16, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from August 15, 1948.

Voluntary manslaughter

September 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

September 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Vincent R. Massock, Esquire, 547-8 Washington Trust Building, Washington, Pa.

# DINALKO, HENRY Westmoreland County March 3, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Robbery September 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused. August 31, 1950. Application for

commutation filed.

Max M. Bergad, Esquire, Greensburg, Pa.

# EICHNER, EUGENE TODD

# Westmoreland County

A-510

September 3, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 9 to 18 years. Sentence to be computed from April 13, 1946.

Robbery

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Edith Eichner, 230 South 5th Street, Youngwood, Pa.

# JACKSON, FREDERICK

Westmoreland County

A-315

April 6, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years.

Voluntary manslaughter

April 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

May 19, 1950. Continued to the September Session.

Mr. Frederick L. Marcas, 624 Forster Street, Y. M. C. A., Harrisburg, Pa.



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### 3ISHABERGER, LEONARD

Allegheny County

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November 14, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 5 to 10 years.

odomy

November 15, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

September 15, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

. H. Reichman, Esquire, 219 Plaza Building, ittsburgh, Pa.

### EDWARDS, JOSEPH

# Allegheny County

A-530

November 27, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from October 14, 1949.

Robbery

September 25, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

S. H. Reichman, Esquire, 1219 Plaza Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### BORGEN, HENRY WALTER

Allegheny, Butler and Westmoreland Counties

9574

April 16, 1947. Sentenced in Allegheny County to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 7 to 14 years. Sentence to be computed from January 28, 1947.

October 3, 1947. Sentenced in Butler County to pay a fine of \$100 and imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 6 to 12 years. This sentence to run concurrently with all other sentences.

Burglary

February 26, 1948. Sentenced in Westmoreland County to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 5 to 10 years. This sentence to run concurrently with all other sentences.

Applications for commutation refused October 26, 1948, and October 18, 1949.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Anthony R. McGrath, Esquire, 2404 Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

# IRWIN, THOMAS MITCHELL

# Allegheny County

2897

April 16, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 12½ to 25 years for burglary and receiving stolen goods. Sentence to begin at the expiration of unexpired parole violation or December 31, 1943.

Burglary, receiving stolen goods, prison breach

April 30, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years for prison breach. This sentence to begin at the expiration of sentence imposed on April 16, 1940.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

John J. McGrath, Esquire, L. Pat McGrath, Esquire, 2404 Grant Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

## UNNINGHAM, ROOSEVELT

# Allegheny County

012

tobbery, being armed with an offensive weapon January 17, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from August 23, 1946.

October 1, 1947. Application for commutation refused.

September 26, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

aul F. Jones, Esquire, 27 Fifth Avenue, littsburgh, Pa.

# DAY, CHARLES HENRY

Allegheny County

6422

June 14, 1937. Sentenced to lift imprisonment in the Western Stat Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused May 27, 1943, June 22, 1945 November 20, 1946, November 16 1948, and November 15, 1949.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

M. Barney Cohen, Esquire, 1208 Berger Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

## EPOE, GLENN F.

# Allegheny County

-543

odomy, attempted statutory rape

June 28, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from December 24, 1947.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

eorge Kunkel, Esquire, 2 Telegraph Building, 6 Locust Street, arrisburg, Pa.

### MANCINI, JOHN LEONARD

#### A-431

Felonious assault with intent to commit armed rôbbery, accessory before the fact, accessory after the fact, receiving stolen goods

A. Arthur Boscia, Esquire, 719 Plaza Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

# Allegheny County

April 4, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 2 to 4 years.

July 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 18, 1950. Continued to November Session.

#### McKINLEY, GEORGE

# Allegheny County

#### 1-321

June 13, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from April 23, 1949.

# Robbery

April 6, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

May 18, 1950. Continued to the September Session.

September 19, 1950. Continued to the November Session.

V. T. Corbett, Esquire, 400 Jones Law Building, 'ittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### McLAUGHLIN, BLAINE WALTER SCOTT

5654

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-on

### Allegheny and Westmoreland Counties

October 2, 1939. Sentenced in Allegheny County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 25 to 50 years. Sentence to be computed from July 27, 1939.

September 5, 1940. Sentenced in Westmoreland County to imprisonment in the Western State Peniteutiary for from 5 to 10 years. This sentence to run concurrently with original sentence imposed in Allegheny County.

Applications for commutation refused March 19, 1942, September 10, 1942, May 22, 1945, September 22, 1948, and September 21, 1949.

October 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ralph T. Bell, Esquire, 508 Grant Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### MITH, DE PAUL

### Allegheny County

202

January 12, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from July 6, 1943.

obbery, receiving stolen goods

January 21, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

oy T. Clunk, Esquire, 20 Bakewell Building, ittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### NORRIS, CHARLES

# Allegheny County

8002

January 12, 1934. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

June 22, 1945. Application for commutation refused.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Juanita Herndon, 508 Shore Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### THOMPSON, ROBERT H.

Allegheny County

A-538

May 25, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 4 to 10 years.

Statutory rape

October 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Hannah Thompson, Miss Betty Thompson, Frank, Pa.

#### WILLIAMS, OWEN

### Allegheny County

A-568

April 6, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. Sentence to be computed from February 22, 1949.

Burglary

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

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Reverend L. G. McLeod, 202 East Jefferson Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### BROOKS, HENRY JOHNSON

Allegheny County

4027

November 12, 1929. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused December 23, 1943, January 19, 1945, and March 24, 1948.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary. Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### HARRIS, ELMER CLARENCE

### Allegheny County

A-573

Robbery, receiving stolen goods

May 23, 1939. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. Sentence to be computed from January 20, 1939.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Weleh, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### HEYMAN, KARRELL ALEXANDER

# Allegheny County

3906

February 5, 1942. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from October 31, 1941.

Murder, in the second degree

Applications for commutation refused May 21, 1947, May 19, 1948, and May 19, 1949.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Nestern State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa. WESTWOOD, JAMES J.

Allegheny County

9841

March 13, 1936. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

May 19, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### ELSEY, JOHN

# Philadelphia County

#### A-149

July 16, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from June 16, 1948.

# Assault, robbery

November 29, 1949. Application for commutation filed.

January 18, 1950. Continued to November Session.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### HARGETT, WILLIAM S.

### Philadelphia County

#### 3120

April 7, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from April 17, 1945.

# Burglary

Applications for commutation refused December 18, 1936, October 7, 1940, November 16, 1944, November 27, 1945, November 19, 1947, November 16, 1948, and November 16, 1949.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Peniteutiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

# OHNSON, MAX

Philadelphia County

L-545

lggravated assault and battery

July 7, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ir. Frank P. Tucker, enior Parole Officer, lastern State Penitentiary, 'hiladelphia, Pa.

#### JONES, WINFIELD

# Philadelphia County

8346

January 22, 1942. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern Stat Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years Sentence to be computed from December 18, 1941.

Murder, in the second degree

Applications for commutation refused April 17, 1946, April 16, 1947 November 16, 1948, and November 16, 1949.

October 3, 1950. Application fo commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

# IENNEDY, WILLIAM

# Philadelphia County

**175** 

January 22, 1942. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 13 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from January 6, 1942.

# lırglary, holdup

Application for commutation refused November 27, 1945, October 26, 1948, and October 18, 1949.

October 6, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

lr. Frank P. Tucker, nior Parole Officer, Estern State Penitentiary, tiladelphia, Pa.

### McIVER, GEORGE

# Philadelphia County

#### A-577

Administering poison, assault and battery

February 3, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7 to 14 years Sentence to be computed from January 25, 1949.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

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Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### RUCKERT, CHARLES

# Philadelphia County

535

August 20, 1930. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years.

November 17, 1937. Application for commutation refused.

tobbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

July 12, 1938. Sentence commuted.

August 21, 1938. Released on parole.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Ir. Frank P. Tucker, enior Parole Officer, astern State Penitentiary, hiladelphia, Pa.

Ir. Charles Ruckert,18 San Diego Avenue,hiladelphia 11, Pa.

#### WALLACE, CHARLTON

# Philadelphia County

9366

April 18, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from January 24, 1945.

Adultery, fornication, assault and battery

Applications for commutation refused May 18, 1948, May 18, 1949, and June 20, 1950.

October 9, 1950. Reargument granted.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

### VILSON, WILLIE

# Philadelphia County

1-578

lobbery

September 20, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from June 25, 1949.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ir. Frank P. Tucker, enior Parole Officer, astern State Penitentiary, 'hiladelphia, Pa.

### BROWN, DAVID

# Philadelphia County

A-537

Murder, in the second degree

January 9, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from May 6, 1947.

October 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Richard Monroe, 2022 Pemberton Street, Philadelphia 46, Pa.

### CARR, BRADLEY L.

# Philadelphia County

9599

January 23, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from December 28, 1946.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Applications for commutation refused November 16, 1948, and November 16, 1949.

September 15, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Belle Carr, Mr. Herbert Carr, 1540 West Ingersoll Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### CASTELLI, JOSEPH ANTHONY

# Philadelphia County

A-536

November 2, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 12 years.

Voluntary manslaughter

October 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. J. A. Castelli, 1816 South Hicks Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### CLOSE, THOMAS

# Philadelphia County

6040

April 3, 1936. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused January 9, 1946, December 18, 1946, November 17, 1948, and November 16, 1949.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Thomas McDermott, 7233 Passyunk Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### DREDEN, ALBERT H.

# Philadelphia County

9490

November 3, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from October 17, 1941.

Assault, being armed with an offensive weapon with intent to rob

Applications for commutation refused September 21, 1948, and November 16, 1949.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Josephine Dreden, 2232 North 20th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# FIACOBBI, JOHN

# Philadelphia County

A-540

January 20, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from December 23, 1949.

Robbery

October 6, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ars. Marie Giacobbi, 96 Veazie Street, Providence 4, R. I.

### HENDERSON, RUFUS

# Philadelphia County

9116

December 9, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years. Sentence to be computed from November 28, 1941.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

Applications for commutation refused November 19, 1947, November 17, 1948, and November 16, 1949.

. October 6, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Lt. Patrick H. Taylor, Bureau of Police, Detective Division, City Hall, Harrisburg, Pa.

Mrs. Hattie Henderson, 1511 North Sixth Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

#### McCLEAN, WILBUR S.

# Philadelphia County

3650

May 19, 1933. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

November 20, 1946. Application for commutation refused.

October 3, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Benjamin Stull, 8030 Gilbert Street, Philadelphia 19, Pa.

### SANDERS, ALFONZO JAMES

# Philadelphia County

A-8

October 22, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from October 12, 1945.

Burglary

October 18, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Miss Myrtle Redd, 1902 North 17th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# VRIGHT, REGINALD

# Philadelphia County

961

June 11, 1940. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

furder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused June 24, 1947, and June 14, 1948.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Emerson Talmadge, 00 North 58th Street, Philadelphia 39, Pa.

#### AYE, JESSE

# Philadelphia County

A-570

February 17, 1949. Sentenced imprisonment in the Eastern Star Penitentiary for from 3½ to 7 year Sentence to be computed from January 25, 1949.

Robbery

October 10, 1950. Application fo

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, Fox Building, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

### QUEEN, WATSON D.

Philadelphia County

576

bbery

August 12, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from July 27, 1946.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

rbert L. Maris, Esquire. x Building, iladelphia 3, Pa.

#### BALLEZZI, SIMON

# Philadelphia County

A-389

March 31, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 10 years Sentence to be computed from Febru ary 13, 1948.

Blackmail, robbery, assault and battery, attempted sodomy May 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

June 9, 1950. Continued to the September Session.

September 12, 1950. Continued to the November Session.

James Dessen, Esquire, 503 Market Street National Bank Building, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

### OLTZ, ROBERT J.

# Philadelphia County

651

March 21, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for period of 33 years 4 months. Sentence to be computed from February 18, 1941.

#### mbezzlement

April 27, 1942. Transferred to the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Applications for commutation refused November 20, 1946, and April 17, 1948.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

rank Rogers Donahue, Esquire, 318 Packard Building, hiladelphia 2, Pa.

#### BURKE, THOMAS J.

### Philadelphia County

6366

January 27, 1939. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 25 to 50 years. Sentence to be computed from December 17, 1938.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon Applications for commutation refused April 27, 1943, May 3, 1944 May 1, 1945, May 29, 1946, October 1, 1947, October 26, 1948, and October 18, 1949.

September 25, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Alvin J. Bello, Esquire, 1003 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### BURT, JAMES WALTER

### Philadelphia County

3528

January 24, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from October 13, 1943.

Murder, in the second degree

Applications for commutation refused September 21, 1948, and September 20, 1949.

October 6, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Michael von Moschzisker, Esquire, 1529 Walnut Street, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

# CLINTON, EUGENE

# Philadelphia County

#### A-534

September 20, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 7 years.

# Burglary

November 30, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years. This sentence to run concurrently with sentence imposed on September 20, 1948.

October 3, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Manfred Landau, Esquire, 700 Bankers Securities Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### OYNE, WILLIAM J.

#### Philadelphia County

-549

urglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods May 1, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from February 5, 1949.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Valter Stein, Esquire, 100 Girard Trust Company Building, hiladelphia 2, Pa.

#### DENDALL, JOSEPH

#### Philadelphia County

A-548

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-

April 12, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 40 to 80 years. Sentence to be computed from April 7, 1938.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Walter Stein, Esquire, 2100 Girard Trust Company Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### 'AIOLA, JAMES

#### Philadelphia County

#### 921

July 1, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 45 years. Sentence to be computed from July 8, 1943.

obbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

June 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

dward Watson, Esquire, 228 Lewis Tower, 5th and Locust Streets, hiladelphia 2, Pa.

#### GALLAGHER, GEORGE J.

#### Philadelphia County

#### A-453

June 15, 1949. Sentenced to pay fine of \$4,000 and imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for 3 years. Sentence to be computed from January 12, 1950.

#### Extortion

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 21, 1950. Continued to November Session.

James F. Masterson, Esquire, 1702 Finance Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### A QUITARA, PAUL

#### A-541

carrying concealed deadly weapon, conspiracy to commit burglary, robbery

#### Philadelphia County

December 9, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from November 5, 1948.

October 6, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Bernard R. Cohn, Esquire, 411 Walnut Street, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### LUCY, EDWARD

#### Philadelphia County

3825

April 9, 1928. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused May 27, 1938, June 6, 1939, January 23, 1940, January 19, 1945, June 24, 1947, October 26, 1948, and November 16, 1949.

October 3, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Edmund G. J. Dale, Esquire, 1804 Finance Building, 1420 South Penn Square, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### AYS, HENRY

#### Philadelphia County

1369

May 7, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 25 to 50 years.

lobbery

December 14, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

October 6, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

illiam L. Fox, Esquire, 000 Land Title Building, lhiladelphia 10, Pa.

#### McEVER, DEWANZE

#### MODVER, DEWARD

#### 7852

### Murder, in the first degree

#### Philadelphia County

February 14, 1934. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Applications for commutation refused March 20, 1945, April 17, 1946, and March 23, 1948.

February 9, 1949. Application for commutation filed.

March 22, 1949. Continued to the February, 1950, Session.

February 21, 1950. Continued to the November Session.

Harry D. Sporkin, Esquire, 1303 North American Building, Board and Sansom Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### McNEAL, JAMES

#### Philadelphia County

1-526

statutory rape

July 9, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 15 years.

parole. Released on

September 21, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Harry D. Sporkin, Esquire, 908 Finance Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### McDANIEL, OSCAR

#### Philadelphia County

A-531

Voluntary manslaughter

March 22, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years.

September 25, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Frank Carano, Esquire, 121 South Broad Street, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

#### McSEARS, EUGENE

#### Philadelphia County

1-10

Murder, in the second degree

December 19, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years.

October 18, 1940. Commutation refused.

September 21, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Villiam C. A. Henry, Esquire, 409 Finance Building, 'hiladelphia 2, Pa.

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#### MOORE, HORACE

#### 6365

## Fraudulently making written instrument

#### Philadelphia County

January 24, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed at expiration of unexpired parole violation or December 24, 1948.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Joseph I. Levy, Esquire, Room 607, 1518 Walnut Street, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### IOUNT, JOHN

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864

ssault, robbery

#### Philadelphia County

September 6, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from June 26, 1940.

May 18, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

sadore Stern, Esquire, 521 Land Title Building, hiladelphia, Pa.

#### ROBINSON, LUKE

#### A-532

Assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery, assault and battery with intent to kill, committing a crime while armed

Harvey Schmidt, Esquire, 410 South 15th Street, Philadelphia 46, Pa.

#### Philadelphia County

January 20, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphi County Prison for from 1½ to years.

September 26, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

#### TROCKBINE, JOSEPH GEORGE

.-465

arceny of automobile, robbery, burglary

#### Philadelphia, Montgomery and Delaware Counties

December 17, 1948. Sentenced in Philadelphia County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from December 1, 1948.

May 13, 1949. Sentenced in Montgomery County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. This sentence to run concurrently with sentence imposed in Philadelphia County.

March 28, 1949. Sentenced in Delaware County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. This sentence to run concurrently with sentence imposed in Philadelphia County.

August 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 21, 1950. Continued to November Session.

lichael J. McEnery, Esquire, 409 Finance Building, 428 South Penn Squa**re,** hiladelphia, Pa.

#### WERBLUN, HENRY

#### A-55

Feloniously and fraudulently making an endorsement on a written instrument; uttering and publishing same, conspiracy

#### Philadelphia County

February 18, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 3 to 6 years.

December 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

September 28, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

William M. Gerber, Esquire, 1203 Morris Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### LAGG, HENRY

-542

cocuring or attempting to procure an abortion

Beaver and Allegheny Counties

June 19, 1946. Sentenced in Beaver County to pay a fine of \$1,500 and imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from June 10, 1946.

June 19, 1946. Sentenced in Allegheny County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6½ to 13 years. This sentence to begin at the expiration of original sentence imposed in Beaver County.

October 6, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Lmes B. Ceris, Esquire, 0 Merchant Street, nbridge, Pa.

A-561

#### GUY, PAUL VINCENT

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Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, burglary

#### Beaver County

August 5, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from August 2, 1949.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

R. Eric Simons, Esquire, 1201 Pennsylvania Avenue, Monaca, Pa.

#### LOZER, STEVE

Beaver and Allegheny Counties

093

tobbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, larceny February 1. 1946. Sentenced in Beaver County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, larceny. Sentence to be computed from January 30, 1946.

November 19, 1946. Sentenced in Allegheny County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 15 years for robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon. This sentence to be served concurrently with original sentence imposed in Beaver County on February 1, 1946, and to be computed from November 19, 1946.

Applications for commutation refused October 16, 1947, November 16, 1948, and November 15, 1949.

October 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Jerome T. Doody, It. Francis DeSales Church, 10 Chartiers Avenue, IcKees Rocks, Pa. BEAHM, RUSSELL C.

Berks County

A-569

Voluntary manslaughter

September 8, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Berks County Prison for from 1½ to 5 years.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, Fox Building, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

#### SCHAEDLER, ARIAN G.

Berks and Montgomery Counties

A-562

Burglary, prison breach, robbery

June 27, 1946. Sentenced in Berks County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years for burglary. Sentence to be computed from April 6, 1946.

March 14, 1947. Sentenced in Montgomery County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 7 years for prison breach, robbery. Sentence to begin at the expiration of original sentence in Berks County.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. Leon L. Deitz, P. O. Box 246, Syracuse 1, N. Y.

## KENNEDY, BOWMAN FRANCIS, JR.

#### Blair County

9715

March 3, 1947. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$700.00 and imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 17 to 40 years. Sentence to be computed from February 8, 1947.

Robbery, burglary, rape

February 16, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

William C. Chase, Esquire, Keystone Building, Clearfield, Pa.

#### HILLIPS, CHARLES FLOYD

805

arceny, burglary

#### Blair County

December 23, 1946. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$4,000 and imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years. Sentence to be computed from December 17, 1946.

April 26, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ir. J. F. Lawrence, 04 East Walton Avenue, ltoona, Pa.

teverend Ralph H. Stoll, 800 Fourth Avenue, Atoona, Pa.

#### DORSEY, JAMES

#### **Bueks County**

9861

Robbery

February 24, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern Stat Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 year Sentence to be computed from Apr 20, 1950.

May 18, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

September 26, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Robert D. Hanson, Esquire, Blackstone Building, 112 Market Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

#### DAISY, CHARLES

#### Cambria County

1523

October 7, 1935. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Robbery

Applications for commutation refused September 28, 1939, and July 2, 1940.

July 7, 1943. Sentence commuted.

August 26, 1943. Released on parole.

October 19, 1949. Application for pardon refused.

October 4, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Ioses Rosenberg, Esquire, 2 South Third Street, Iarrisburg, Pa.

#### WANKO, STEVE

#### Cambria County

#### A-524

Burglary

January 31, 1949. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$10,000 and to imprison ment in the Western State Peniten

tiary for from 10 to 20 years Sentence to be computed from Janus ary 20, 1949.

September 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

October 9, 1950. Continued to th November Session.

Bruce A. Sciotto, Esquire, 308 First National Bank Building, Johnstown, Pa.

#### ROWBRIDGE, CLARENCE

-529

scaping prison

#### Centre County

November 7, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from January 17, 1949.

September 25, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

r. Norbert E. Welch, arole Director, Yestern State Penitentiary, ittsburgh, Pa.

#### MATTSON, LAWRENCE S.

#### Chester County

A-533

March 22, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Chester County Prison for from 1 to 2 years for burglary and largeny.

Burglary, larceny, prison breach

June 18, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1 to 2 years for prison breach.

October 3, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Marion Mattson, R. D. #3, Coatesville, Pa.

#### IEPHART, MELVIN, JR.

927

lirglary; robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

#### Clearfield County

February 3, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from January 19, 1947.

November 16, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 19, 1950. Continued to November Session.

Ir. Norbert E. Welch, Irole Director, Vestern State Penitentiary, Ittsburgh, Pa.

#### PATTERSON, ROBERT

## A-574

# Burglary; robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon

#### Clearfield County

February 8, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 8 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from January 19, 1947.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Lester Machamer, 955 Oak Street, N. W., Warren, Ohio

#### JAMES, CHARLES

#### A-563

sodomy, assault with intent to commit sodomy, assault with intent to commit rape, assault and battery

#### Clinton County

June 1, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from May 3, 1948.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ir. Norbert E. Welch, 'arole Director, Vestern State Penitentiary, 'ittsburgh. Pa.

#### NYMAN, LEWIS A.

9509

Burglary, breaking and entering, larceny

#### Clinton County

May 2, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 4 to 10 years Sentence to be computed from Apri 20, 1947.

Applications for commutation re fused September 22, 1948, and Octo ber 19, 1949.

October 6, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Morton Fromm, Esquire, 200 East Water Street, Lock Haven, Pa.

#### WINKELMAN, JOHN FRANK

A-565

Burglary, larceny, prison breach, escape

#### Clinton County

October 27, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from October 6, 1949.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ir. Michael Securanza, 49 Seventh Street, Renovo, Pa.

#### BEINHAUER, GEORGE M.

#### Dauphin County

A-328

August 19, 1946. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$200.00 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from July 19, 1946.

Burglary

May 19, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

September 19, 1950. Reargument granted.

Solomon Hurwitz, Esquire, Keystone Building, 22 South Third Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

#### BETHEA, THOMAS J.

#### 563

## lobbery, larceny and burglary

#### Dauphin County

March 19, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7 to 29 years. Sentence to be computed from February 16, 1945.

Applications for commutation refused October 26, 1948 and October 19, 1949.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

leverend Bridge, 40 Briggs Street, Iarrisburg, Pa.

#### CHARLTON, WILLIAM

#### Delaware County

9584

June 9, 1947. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$1,300 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Burglary, assault and battery with intent to kill, violation of Firearms Act

Applications for commutation refused October 26, 1948, and October 19, 1949.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Clarence G. Smedley, Esquire, 705 Crozer Building, Chester, Pa.

#### IATLACK, WALTER L.

# Delaware County

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# laintaining a disorderly

June 19, 1946. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$500.00 and imprisonment in the Delaware County Jail for period of 1 year.

September 11, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

October 10, 1950. Continued to November Session.

loyd H. Wood, Esquire, East Airy Street, orristown, Pa.

. Lester Haws, Esquire, 5 Rittenhouse Place, rdmore, Pa.

# RAMONDO, CHARLES

# Delaware County

A-571

Assault with intent to ravish

January 7, 1948. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$300.00 and imprisonment in the Delaware County Prison for from 3 months to 5 years.

parole. Released on

October 10, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Henry Gouley, Esquire, 14 South Avenue, Media, Pa.

#### IAYLOR, PRESTON

Delaware County

.-528

urglary, larceny

March 19, 1945. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$1,000 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

September 28, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ir. Frank P. Tucker, enior Parole Officer, astern State Penitentiary, hiladelphia 30, Pa.

#### O'BRIEN, THURMON T.

#### Delaware County

A-579

Assault and battery with intent to kill

March 17, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 7 years. Sentence to be computed from February 28, 1949.

October 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### COTT, MARION

#### Delaware County

353

October 26, 1936. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Lurder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused November 20, 1946, November 20, 1947, November 16, 1948, and November 16, 1949.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ir. Frank P. Tucker, enior Parole Officer, astern State Penitentiary, hiladelphia, Pa.

#### SMITH, SYDNEY LORRAINE

Delaware County

5825

May 23, 1941. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$200.00 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from April 7, 1941.

Robbery

April 30, 1947. Sentence commuted.

marole. Released on

September 21, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Mr. Sydney Lorraine Smith, Chester Heights, Delaware County, Pa.

# ONES, FLOY C., JR.

# Elk County

1-449

April 19, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 1 to 3 years.

nvoluntary manslaughter

August 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 20, 1950. Continued to November Session.

Ir. Willis H. Heilman, afe Deposit Building, littanning, Pa.

#### STINGEL, FRED

#### Erie County

8262

May 15, 1944. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$2,500 and imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from May 11, 1944.

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Applications for commutation refused January 16, 1946, April 17, 1947, and November 16, 1948.

July 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 22, 1950. Continued to November Session.

Louis R. Benacci, Esquire, 1002 G. Daniel Baldwin Building, Erie, Pa.

#### FEKETE, MATTHEW J.

#### A-255

Assault and battery with intent to commit robbery

# Fayette County

April 1, 1948. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$1,000 and imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from March 6, 1948.

May 19, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

September 19, 1950. Reargument granted.

M. Barney Cohen, Esquire, 1209 Berger Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### WHITE, CLYDE

#### Fayette County

A-566

Murder, in the second degree

June 28, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from February 6, 1949.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

# WIBLE, HARVEY WILLIAM

# WILLIAM

A-546

Burglary

### Fulton County

March 22, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years. Sentence to be computed from March 13, 1950.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

# CAMPBELL, WILLIAM HERMAN

#### Indiana County

2156

November 25, 1929. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Applications for commutation refused March 22, 1935, and September 21, 1938.

Murder, in the first degree

July 6, 1942. Sentence commuted.

September 4, 1942. Released on parole.

January 11, 1944. Returned to the Western State Penitentiary for parole violation.

February 20, 1946. Reparoled.

September 18, 1948. Returned to the Western State Penitentiary for parole violation.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Mr. S. A. Campbell, R. D. #2, Mahaffey, Pa.

#### BRUNO, FRANK

Lackawanna County

|2142|

March 12, 1934. Sentenced to death.

Murder, in the first degree

January 9, 1935. Commuted to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

October 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert F. Laub, Esquire, \$\frac{1}{2}\$101-04 Easton Trust Building, Easton, Pa.

# GATTO, WILLIAM J.

### Lackawanna County

#### A-525

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-

May 14, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from February 25, 1947.

September 19, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Antonio J. Gatto, Director, National Bureau of Identification, 1105 Wood Street, Scranton, Pa.

#### GEORGE, KALIM

# Lawrence County

4145

Burglary, attempt to commit larceny

September 20, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 8 to 16 years. Sentence to be computed from August 18, 1943.

Applications for commutation refused December 13, 1938, July 7, 1937, November 16, 1944, November 7, 1945, and September 23, 1948.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### WEAVER, HARRY D.

# Lebanon County

A-572

December 13, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 5 years.

Arson

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, Fox Building, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

#### DECH, ALBERT

# Lehigh County

9995

Robbery, larceny, carry- Sentence ing concealed deadly 25, 1943. weapons

June 1, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from May 25, 1943.

November 15, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Irs. Darline Tartar, 01 South 6th Street, Hentown, Pa.

#### MAROTTA, LEONARD

#### Lehigh County

5578

December 10, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Lehigh County Prison for from 5 to 12 years. Sen tence to be computed from Novembe 8, 1940.

Voluntary manslaughter

Applications for commutation refused June 2, 1942, and December 17 1942.

May 10, 1946. Sentence commuted

parole. Released o

September 21, 1950. Applicatio for pardon filed.

Joseph M. Lane, Esquire, 686 Washington Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

#### WOODFOLK, LUTHER K.

# Lehigh County

3904

June 19, 1942. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from April 24, 1942.

Murder, in the second degree

Applications for commutation refused May 21, 1947, and November 16, 1948.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

ARNONE, CHARLES CARMEL	Luzerne County
8241	October 8, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Luzerne County Prison for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from November
Burglary	5, 1947.  January 9, 1946. Application for commutation refused.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ettore S. Agolino, Esquire, Pittston, Pa.

#### INKE, LOUIS H.

#### Luzerne County

00

June 10, 1929. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

lurder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused March 28, 1941, May 7, 1942, December 17, 1942, and July 8, 1943.

January 31, 1945. Sentence commuted.

March 27, 1945. Released on parole.

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Harold Watkins, Esquire, w Building, Fackville, Pa.

#### TREGASKIS, WILLIAM

#### Luzerne County

A-527

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-on

September 22, 1945. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$100.00 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Pententiary for from 7½ to 15 years.

September 21, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herman E. Cardoni, Esquire, 226 Second National Bank Building. Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

# ORM, ROSCOE A.

115

rceny of motor vehicle, receiving stolen goods, arceny

# Luzerne County

April 6, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from March 27, 1945.

October 19, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

4s. Mary Storm, 4 Prospect Street, 4 Prospect Street, 8 Parre, Pa.

#### COHICK, CALVIN F.

# Lycoming County

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Arson

December 9, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from November 9, 1948.

November 15, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Lloyd Cohick, R. D. #1, Salladsburg, Pa.

# ELLEY, EDWIN J.

Montgomery County

4494

bbery, burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods October 7, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Montgomery County Prison for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from May 31, 1949.

September 15, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

ward J. Wisnicwski, D Fayettc Street, Inshohocken, Pa.

#### BUCKLEY, ROBERT C.

9586

Burglary, larceny, robbery, receiving stolen goods

#### Northampton, Lehigh and Bucks Counties

December 13, 1943. Sentenced in Northampton County to imprison ment in the Eastern State Peni tentiary for from 9 to 18 years for burglary, robbery, larceny.

January 3, 1944. Sentenced in Lehigh County to imprisonment in the Lehigh County Prison for from 2 to 4 years for burglary, larceny robbery. This sentence to begin a the expiration of original sentence imposed on December 13, 1943.

September 8, 1948. Sentenced in Bucks County to imprisonment in th Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 6 years for larceny, receiving stolen goods. This sentence to runconcurrently with original sentence imposed in Northampton County of December 13, 1943.

Applications for commutation refused October 27, 1948, and Octobe 19, 1949.

October 6, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

William B. McClenaehan, Jr., Esquire, 702 Crozer Building, Chester, Pa.

# IANNEY, FRANCIS J.

#### Northumberland County

1-355

lurglary

May 31, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from May 14, 1949.

April 20, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

June 21, 1950. Continued to the November Session.

Irs. Elizabeth Tanney,
South Peach Street,
It. Carmel, Pa.

#### BRACEY, GERALD

# Schuylkill County

A-535

Obtaining money under false pretenses

January 23, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Schuylkill County Prison for from 2½ to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from January 18, 1950.

October 3, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

W. J. Krencewicz, Esquire, Oppenheimer Building, Shenandoah, Pa.

#### IDLLISTER, ALLEN C.

### Susquehanna County

1575

April 18, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from February 4, 1949.

Lipe

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

lr. Frank P. Tucker, Snior Parole Officer, Listern State Penitentiary, Liladelphia, Pa. POLENS, JOHN G.

Warren County

3616

June 23, 1936. Sentenced to death

December 23, 1938. Commuted to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused November 27, 1945, January 25 1949, and November 16, 1949.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Anthony R. McGrath, Esquire, Grant Building, Pttsburgh, Pa.

#### MITH, JAMES PAUL

### Washington County

4539

June 7, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 1 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from February 18, 1946.

Lrceny, burglary

February 18, 1947. Released on parole.

October 6, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Athony R. McGrath, Esquire, 204 Grant Building, Ettsburgh 19, Pa.

#### PRICE, CHARLES

### Washington County

A-567

November 15, 1949. Sentenced imprisonment in the Western Sta Penitentiary for from 4 to 10 yea

Burglary, larceny

October 10, 1950. Application f commutation filed.

Reverend O. E. Bennett, 416 McKee Avenuc, Monessen, Pa.

#### CRAIG, JACOB SAMUEL

# Washington County

A-544

orgery

August 5, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from June 13, 1949.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ar. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Vestern State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

# MILLER, CLARENCE WILLIAM

# Washington County

A-547

September 9, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from August 5, 1949.

Burglary and larceny

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

# REENAWALD, JOHN DONALD

Westmoreland County

1-564

May 29, 1931. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Iurder, in the first degree

October 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

toy T. Clunk, Esquire, 20 Bakewell Building, 'ittsburgh, Pa.

# SHUMAKER, EARL WILLIAM

# Westmoreland County

9613

February 23, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from November 15, 1947.

Rape, attempted rape, assault and battery

Applications for commutation refused November 16, 1948 and November 16, 1949.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation of sentence filed.

Mr. A. C. Shumaker, Somerset County, Listie, Pa.

#### IAZEN, JOHN

#### 1560

Inglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods, contributing to delinquency of a minor child, violation of vehicle code

#### Westmoreland County

September 9, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 18 to 36 years. Sentence to be computed at expiration of parole violation or October 2, 1947.

October 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ir. Norbert E. Welch, Lrole Director, Vestern State Penitentiary, Ittsburgh, Pa.

#### HUDAK, GEORGE PAUL

#### Westmoreland County

#### A-406

January 7, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from December 8, 1948.

# Robbery, larceny, receiving stolen goods

May 22, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 20, 1950. Continued to November Session.

Mrs. Ann Hudak, 1323 Locust Street, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

Mr. James Carlson, 1323 Locust Street, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

#### ALLISON, CHARLES W.

#### York County

580

December 31, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from November 4, 1943.

Assault and battery, burglary, prison breach

Applications for commutation refused December 18, 1946, March 24, 1948, and March 23, 1949.

October 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Charles F. G. Smith, Esquire, 030 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.



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#### \*DARCY, DAVID

#### Bucks County

A-306

February 16, 1949. Sentenced to death.

October 24, 1949. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

January 4, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

March 27, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, June 26, 1950.

April 13, 1950. Continued to May Session.

Murder, in the first degree

June 23, 1950. Governor issued

respite staying execution to week beginning Monday, October 9, 1950.

May 26, 1950. Application for

\* (Capital case)

June 23, 1950. Reargument granted.

September 15, 1950. Continued to October Session.

October 18, 1950. Continued to December Session.

October 19, 1950. Governor issued respite staying execution to week beginning Monday, January 1, 1951.

Witkin & Egan, Esquires, 911 Finance Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### \*FOSTER, HAROLD

#### **Bucks County**

A-352

September 7, 1949. Sentenced to death.

March 20, 1950. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

March 27, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, June 26, 1950.

April 17, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Murder, in the first degree

May 26, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

\* (Capital case)

June 23, 1950. Governor issued respite staying execution to week beginning Monday, October 9, 1950.

June 23, 1950. Reargument granted.

September 15, 1950. Continued to October Session.

October 18, 1950. Continued to December Session.

October 19, 1950. Governor issued respite staying execution to week beginning Monday, January 1, 1951.

Donald B. Smith, Esquire. Perkasie, Pa.

C. William Freed, Jr., Esquire, Quakertown, Pa.

#### \*ZIETZ, HARRY

#### Bucks County

A-351

September 7, 1949. Sentenced to death.

March 20, 1950. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

March 27, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, June 26, 1950.

April 17, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Murder, in the first degree

May 26, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

\* (Capital case)

June 23, 1950. Governor issued respite staying execution to week beginning Monday, October 9, 1950.

June 23, 1950. Reargument granted.

September 15, 1950. Continued to October Session.

October 18, 1950. Continued to December Session.

October 19, 1950. Governor issued respite staying execution to week beginning Monday, January 1, 1951.

G. Coe Farrier, Esquire, Byberry Road and Depue, Somerton, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### \*AGOSTON, ALEX, JR.

#### Columbia County

A-632

October 29, 1949. Sentenced to death.

Murder, in the first degree

October 9, 1950. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

\* (Capital case)

November 1, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, January 8, 1951.

November 15, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

John Arnold Crisman, Esquire, 116 West Second Street, Berwick, Pa.

Donald A. Lewis, Esquire, First National Bank Building, Catawissa, Pa.

#### \*DAVERSA, DOMINICK

Westmoreland County

**A**-499

January 24, 1950. Sentenced to death.

May 22, 1950. Supreme Court affirmed judgment of lower court.

June 22, 1950. Governor issued warrant setting date of execution to week beginning Monday, September 25, 1950.

Murder, in the first degree

\* (Capital case)

September 5, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 15, 1950. Continued to October Session.

October 18, 1950. Continued to December Session.

October 19, 1950. Governor issued respite staying execution to week beginning Monday, January 8, 1951.

Sebastian C. Pugliese, Esquire. 2901 Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

Paul K. McCormick, Esquire, Greensburg, Pa.

#### FEATHERS, HARVEY

#### Bedford County

4349

April 18, 1929. Sentenced to death.

October 24, 1929. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Applications for commutation refused April 20, 1939, July 8, 1941, December 17, 1941, and June 18, 1942.

January 6, 1943. Sentence commuted.

parole. Released on

November 10, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Dr. Philip D. Bookstaber, P. O. Box 863, Harrisburg, Pa.

#### STIVER, SAMUEL R.

Bedford and Centre Counties

9639

June 18, 1945. Sentenced in Bedford County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years for burglary, and larceny.

Breaking and escaping penitentiary, burglary, larceny

October 8, 1945. Sentenced in Centre County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 7 years for breaking and escaping penitentiary. This sentence to begin at the expiration of original sentence or July 1, 1948.

December 14, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Michael Dusic, Mr. John Newhouse, 439 North Mechanic Street, Cumberland, Md.

# LUCCHESE, ANTHONY JAMES

Berks County

8674

February 10, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Berks County Prison for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from September 22, 1943.

December 10, 1946. Sentence commuted.

Transporting female for purposes of prostitution, accepting bawd money

December 23, 1946. Released on parole.

Applications for commutation of maximum sentence refused November 16, 1948, and December 20, 1949.

October 31, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Albert S. Readinger, Esquire, 526 Washington Street, Reading, Pa.

#### GENSEMER, FREDERICK DAUPHIN

#### Berks County

8737

March 26, 1940. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused February 20, 1947, May 18, 1948, December 20, 1949.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, 1505 Fox Building, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

#### ELLER, FRANK

#### Blair County

A-595

October 7, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Blair County Jail for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from June 29, 1949.

Voluntary manslaughter

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Jubelirer, Smith and Oyler, Esquires, 1014 Twelfth Street, Altoona, Pa.

#### MACEDONIA, RAFFAELE

#### Blair County

9098

October 13, 1943. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$1,000 and imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from July 23, 1943.

Murder, in the second degree

November 20, 1947. Application for commutation refused.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Jubelirer, Smith and Oyler, Esquires, 1014 Twelfth Street, Altoona, Pa.

#### BUDANO, NICHOLAS C.

#### **Bucks County**

9296

December 9, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1 to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from December 4, 1947.

Robbery, larceny, receiving stolen goods

April 21, 1948. Application for eommutation refused.

December 4, 1948. Released on parole.

October 31, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. Nicholas C. Budano, 4832 Longshore Street, Philadelphia 35, Pa.

#### ORTH, OSCAR

#### Bucks County

360**2** 

February 4, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from July 24, 1943.

Robbery

November 13, 1946. Application for commutation refused.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### RAGER, WALTER DARL

#### Cambria County

7500

June 11, 1942. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from March 11, 1942.

Burglary

Applications for commutation refused January 18, 1945, November 7, 1945, December 18, 1946, October 26, 1948, and October 19, 1949.

October 23, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Homer L. Kreider, Esquire, Keystone Building, 22 South Third Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

Harry E. Simmons, 615-15 U. S. National Bank Building, Johnstown, Pa.

#### KORNFEIND, JOSEPH

#### Carbon County

#### A-273

January 31, 1949. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$500 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years.

### Rape, assault and battery, contributing to delinquency

April 18, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

November 13, 1950. Reargument granted.

Thomas E. Weaver, Esquire, Lehigh National Bank Building, Catasauqua, Pa.

AMMERMAN,	FLOYD
ELLSWORT	

Centre County

A-629

September 11, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from June 24, 1946.

Sodomy

November 15, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Harry A. Klingemann, 406 Willowbank Street, Bellefonte, Pa.

#### GARDNER, GARFIELD

#### Centre County

9556

January 22, 1941. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary. Sentence to be computed from January 30, 1941.

October 26, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

Murder, in the first degree

September 9, 1949. Application for commutation filed.

September 15, 1949. Continued to November Session.

November 15, 1949. Continued to December 1950 Session.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### MILLER, FRANK T.

#### Clinton County

A-602

Robbery, larceny

January 27, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from December 27, 1949.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Joseph Nestlerode, #1 Logan Avenue, Castanea, Pa.

Mrs. Georgie Ann Miller, #1 Logan Avenue, Castanea, Pa.

#### GARNETT, ALFRED D., JR.

Chester County

A-630

Robbery, attempted robbery, larceny

January 24, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from January 15, 1949.

November 15, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia 30, Pa.

# McGINNIS, GEORGE I.

Chester County

A-594

June 12, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1½ to 3 years Sentence to be computed from March 25, 1950.

Burglary

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Minerva McGinnis, R. D. #3, Coatesville, Pa.

## WOOD, GEORGE LEROY

## Crawford County

A-619

Burglary, larceny

February 28, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from January 4, 1949.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### SCHMICK, JAMES E.

# Dauphin County

A - 590

January 11, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 3 years. Sentence to be computed from December 16, 1949.

Larceny

October 25, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Richard Schmick, Mr. George A. Schmick, R. D. #1, Lykens, Pa.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

### KENT, JAMES EDWARD

# Dauphin County

A-622

January 11, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2½ to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from January 11, 1949.

Robbery

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Martin H. Lock, Esquire, Keystone Building, 22 South Third Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

George J. Cohen, Esquire, 25 South Front Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

#### RAMONDO, CHARLES

## Delaware County

A-571

January 7, 1948. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$300.00 and imprisonment in the Delaware County Prison for from 3 months to 5 years.

Assault with intent to ravish

\_\_\_\_\_Released on parole.

October 15, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

November 15, 1950. Continued to December Session.

Henry Gouley, Esquire, 14 South Avenue, Media, Pa.

# BOWKER, GEORGE K.

# Delaware County

7521

March 25, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years. Sentence to be computed at expiration of unexpired parole violation or July 1, 1949.

Larceny

November 16, 1944. Application for commutation refused.

November 2, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### KEARNEY, DANIEL

# Delaware County

A-28

December 29, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from October 22, 1947.

Assault with intent to rob

October 19, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

John J. Stetser, Esquire, 21 West Fifth Street, Chester, Pa.

## KING, MAURICE A.

# Delaware County

A-582

Attempted rape

January 4, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from October 15, 1949.

October 18, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Geraldine King, 623 Sixth Street, S. W., Washington, D. C.

#### TWADDELL, IDA H.

## Delaware County

4745

March 23, 1931. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused March 20, 1940, and June 23, 1949.

July 17, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 20, 1950. Continued to December Session.

Morris Smith, Esquire, 919 Edgmont Avenue, Chester, Pa.

# HASLERIG, GEORGE

#### Delaware County

6263

March 3, 1933. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused March 26, 1943, March 29, 1944, May 1, 1945, April 17, 1946, October 26, 1948.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed,

John J. Stetser, Esquire, 21 West Fifth Street, Chester, Pa.

# REITH, CHARLES ALBERT

## Delaware County

A-612

March 19, 1940. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$200 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 20 years.

Assault, robbery

parole. Released on

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Mr. Charles Albert Reith, 445 Rand Street, Camden, N. J.

#### CURTIS, MICHAEL

# Delaware County

9628

January 6, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 17½ to 35 years. Sentence to be computed from November 16, 1941.

Rape, robbery

Applications for commutation refused December 15, 1948, and December 20, 1949.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Anna Marchaini, 312 West 7th Street, Chester, Pa.

## GILMARTIN, JAMES

# Delaware County

A-586

October 7, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from July 23, 1947.

Robbery

October 23, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. E. J. Flemings, 3601 State Road, Drexel Hill, Pa.

# MATLACK, WALTER L.

# Delaware County

#### A-481

June 19, 1946. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$500.00 and imprisonment in the Delaware County Jail for period of 1 year.

# Maintaining a disorderly house

September 11, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

October 10, 1950. Continued to November Session.

November 15, 1950. Continued to December Session.

Lloyd H. Wood, Esquire, 5 East Airy Street, Norristown, Pa.

H. Lester Haws, Esquire, 15 Rittenhouse Place, Ardmore, Pa.

## JACKSON, WILLIAM H.

Delaware and Philadelphia Counties

5794

March 19, 1940. Sentenced in Delaware County to pay a fine of \$100.00 and imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 20 years for robbery, assault, earrying concealed deadly weapons. Sentenced to be computed from December 22, 1939.

Robbery, assault, carrying concealed deadly weapons

July 2, 1940. Sentenced in Philadelphia County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years for robbery. This sentence to run concurrently with original sentence imposed in Delaware County on March 19, 1940.

June 11, 1942. Sentence com-

parole. Released on

September 21, 1949. Application for pardon refused.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### SHERRY, FRANKLIN PIERCE

Delaware County

A-605

Sodomy

April 13, 1950. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and imprisonment in the Delaware County Prison for from 3 to 10 years. Sentence to be eomputed from January 21, 1950.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Theodore Smithers, Esquire, Delaware County National Bank Building, Chester, Pa.

# DURITSKY, WILLIAM

## Fayette County

A-139

July 22, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 20 years.

Robbery

December 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

J. C. Glassburn, Esquire, 97 East Main Street, Uniontown, Pa.

Mrs. Kathleen Duritsky, R. D. #1, Evans Manor, Uniontown, Pa.

#### CHAMBERS, WILLIAM HENRY

Fayette and Westmoreland Counties

A-60

October 25, 1948. Sentenced in Fayette County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 12 to 60 years on a charge of burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods, and violation of Firearms Act. Sentence to be computed from August 14, 1948.

Burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods, violation of Firearms Act March 1, 1949. Sentenced in Westmoreland County to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 25 to 50 years on a charge of burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods, and violation of Firearms Act. Sentence to be computed from October 25, 1948. Sentence to run concurrently with original sentence imposed in Fayette County.

November 16, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Pearl Chambers, House #32, Gibson Terrace, Connellsville, Pa.

Mr. R. D. Leppley, 228 Sixth Street, Connellsville, Pa.

#### CAMPBELL, CECIL

# Franklin County

A-607

August 5, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from May 28, 1949.

Burglary

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Agues Banks, 60 Blooms Avenue, Hagerstown, Md.

## CREE, JOHN KOEBERT

# Greene County

8687

June 18, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from July 11, 1945.

Sodomy

December 18, 1946. Application for commutation refused.

Released on parole.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Roy T. Clunk, Esquire, 620 Bakewell Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

# JENKINS, RICHARD

# Indiana County

A-370

September 20, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 10 years Sentence to be computed from July 31, 1948.

Burglary, larceny

May 3, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

June 21, 1950. Continued to the September Session.

September 20, 1950. Continued to the December Session.

G. S. Parnell, Esquire, 650 Philadelphia Street, Indiana, Pa.

#### LOPATKA, HARRY

## Lackawanna County

#### A-89

April 21, 1942. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from April 4, 1942.

# Burglary

December 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

November 2, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Gedeon Jones, 2020 Pittston Avenue, Scranton, Pa.

# MORAN, FRANK T.

Lackawanna County

A-584

April 23, 1947. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$50.00

Maintaining gambling device

October 23, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Joseph F. Murphy, Esquire, Suite 207-09, Connell Building, Scranton 3, Pa.

## LASKOSKIE, NED

#### Lackawanna County

#### A-64

February 28, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 12½ to 25 years. Sentence to be computed from February 27, 1941.

# Statutory rape, sodomy

November 15, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Robert D. Hanson, Esquire, Blackstone Building, 112 Market Street, Harrisburg, Pa.

# DOTE, ALPHONSE

# Lackawanna County

A-613

March 17, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from July 14, 1949.

Burglary

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

George W. Black, Esquire, 112 West Dominick Street, Rome, N. Y.

# HAGLER, MELFORD

### Lancaster County

A-588

March 23, 1942. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

October 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Melford Hagler, Sr. R. D. Route 1, Gap, Pa.

# HAMILTON, JOHN CHARLES

# Lancaster County

9981

June 6, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Lancaster County Prison for from 5 to 10 years for burglary. Sentence to be computed from May 6, 1947.

Burglary, attempted escape

August 8, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1 to 2 years for attempted escape.

August 8, 1947. Transferred to Eastern State Penitentiary.

December 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, 1505 Fox Building, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

#### BOUGHTER, CHARLES D.

# Lawrence County

# A-603

Incestuous adultery

June 28, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from June 7, 1949.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Harold Boughter, R. D. #9, New Castle, Pa.

Mrs. Orpha Boughter, New Germantown, Pa. P. O. Box.

Mrs. T. Boughter, R. D. #1, New Castle, Pa.

# GRONSKI, PETER

# Luzerne County

A-633

February 15, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Luzerne County Prison for from 4 to 8 years. Sentence to be computed from February 7, 1950.

Robbery

May 14, 1950. Transferred to the Eastern State Penitentiary.

November 16, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

M. S. DePierro, Esquire, Freeland, Pa.

#### LAMASKO, JOSEPH

# Luzerne County

A-156

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-

January 17, 1948. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and imprisonment in the Luzerne County Prison for from 2½ to 5 years. Sentence to be computed from December 17, 1948.

January 17, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

November 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

M. S. DePierro, Esquire, Freeland, Pa.

#### KUMITIS, ALFRED

#### Luzerne County

5697

April 19, 1932. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 25 to 50 years.

May 28, 1942. Sentence commuted.

May 28, 1942. Released on parole.

Robbery, larceny

January 3, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years for robbery. Sentence to be computed from expiration of parole violation.

January 9, 1950. Sentence to begin at expiration of unexpired parole violation.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### SAVAGE, CLEMENT H.

## Luzerne County

3810

March 29, 1930. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$500 and imprisonment in the Luzerne County Jail for from 5 to 10 years.

December 19, 1930. Released on parole.

June 18, 1931. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree; robbery

June 28, 1938. Application for commutation refused.

October 31, 1941. Sentence commuted.

November ....., 1941. Released on parole.

November 10, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Paul R. Orrson, Esquire, 1200 Miners National Bank Building, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

#### DINKEL, WILLIAM F.

## Monroe County

A-581

December 2, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State

Burglary

Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from November 23, 1946.

October 18, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### WILSON, HAROLD U.

# Montgomery County

A-617

Statutory rape

January 9, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3 to 7 years. Sentence to be computed from December 9, 1948.

November 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Wood and Hauser, Esquires, 5 East Airy Street, Norristown, Pa.

#### WENTZEL, GERALD C.

# Montgomery County

9918

April 9, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from April 22, 1948.

Murder, in the second degree

June 23, 1949. Held under advisement.

June 21, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

W. H. Rosenberry, Jr., Esquire, 403 Swede Street, Norristown, Pa.

Thomas D. McBride, Esquire, 1125 Land Title Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

## SERRATORE, JOSEPH

## Montgomery County

#### A-102

February 11, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years. Sentence to be computed from February 8, 1949.

## Robbery, burglary

December 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, 1505 Fox Building, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

#### STRACCIONI, LOUIS

## Montgomery County

A-627

November 26, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 3½ to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from November 5, 1949.

Robbery

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

A. Bernard Hirsch, Esquire, 121 North Broad Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# DARDEN, WILSON

### Montgomery County

A-589

November 4, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Montgomery County Prison for from 3 to 6 years.

Voluntary manslaughter

October 25, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Herbert C. Nelson, Esquire, 503 Swede Street, Norristown, Pa.

### RAFFELO, FRANK

## Montgomery County

8720

October 2, 1936. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused December 18, 1946, January 21 1948, and December 20, 1949.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Henry A. Torchia, Esquire, Bergner Building, Harrisburg, Pa.

### DENECIA, GEORGE

## Northampton County

A-591

Burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods

April 3, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Northampton County Prison for from 1 to 2 years. Sentence to be computed from March 18, 1950.

October 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

M. A. Strausburg, Esquire, Alpha Building, Easton, Pa.

### CAMPANARO, ROCCO

### Northampton County

A-107

September 17, 1945. Sentenced pay a fine of \$305.00 and impriso ment in the Northampton Coun Prison for from 8 to 16 year Sentence to be computed from Ju 28, 1945.

Burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods

December 20, 1949. Application commutation refused.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Joseph G. Hildenberger, Esquire, Room 210, Union Bank Building, Bethlehem, Pa.

## KESSLER, HARRY B.

### Northumberland and Philadelphia Counties

4597

September 28, 1934. Sentenced in Northumberland County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 12 to 24 years for breaking and entering, larceny, etc.

October 24, 1939. Application for commutation refused.

October 23, 1940. Sentence commuted.

Assualt with intent to rob, breaking and entering, larceny, breaking and escaping prison December 31, 1940. Released on parole.

June 9, 1941. Sentenced in Philadelphia County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years for assault with intent to rob. This sentence to begin at the expiration of parole violation or September 13, 1943.

Applications for commutation refused December 14, 1948, and March 22, 1950.

November 2, 1950. Reargument granted.

Charles F. G. Emith, Esquire, 1030 Commercial Trust Building. Philadelphia 2, Pa.

## CHUSCAVAGE, EDWARD

Schuylkill County

A-625

Larceny

May 16, 1949. Sentenced to imprionment in the Schuylkill Count Prison for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from November 27, 1949.

November 13, 1950. Applicatio for commutation filed.

Nieholas J. D'Alessandro, Esquire, 114 West Main Street, Girardville, Pa.

## BLOSS, WILLIAM GEORGE

# Schuylkill County

A-624

Larceny

May 16, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Schuylkill County Prison for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from October 30, 1949.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Nicholas J. D'Alessandro, Esquire, 114 West Main Street, Girardville, Pa.

#### BURANITS, JOSEPH THOMAS

A-580

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon, larceny of motor vehicle, carrying concealed deadly weapons Schuylkill and Philadelphia Countie

September 6, 1949. Sentenced Schuylkill County to imprisonment the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from September 4, 1949.

September 7, 1949. Sentenced in Philadelphia County to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. This sentence is run concurrently with sentence in posed in Schuylkill County.

October 16, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Robert C. Duffy, Esquire, 1224 Lincoln-Liberty Building, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

Raymond L. Brennan, Esquire, Chronicle Building. Pottsville, Pa.

## DOTY, JOSEPH

# Susquehanna County

8544

January 27, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from January 1, 1941.

Burglary and larceny

Applications for commutation refused October 22, 1946, October 1, 1947, November 16, 1948, and November 16, 1949.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Charles F. G. Smith, Esquire, 1030 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

#### SANDERS, THOMAS R.

Washington County

A-604

November 21, 1949. Sentenced t imprisonment in the Western Stat Penitentiary for from 2 to 5 years Sentence to be computed from July 27, 1949.

Voluntary manslaughter

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### WENTZ, RUSSELL CLIFFORD

Westmoreland County

7368

May 29, 1931. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused July 12, 1944, July 24, 1945, and March 24, 1948.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Roy T. Clunk, Esquire, Bakewell Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### GRABOWSKI, STANLEY, JR.

## Westmoreland County

A-620

June 16, 1941. Sentenced to lift imprisonment in the Western Stat Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. Norbert E. Welch, Parole Director, Western State Penitentiary, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### VIRGIN, W. H.

# Westmoreland County

A-606

Sodomy

April 18, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from February 28, 1950.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

John J. McGrath, Esquire, 2404 Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

## BREWER, ILEY

# Venango County

A-611

Burglary

December 28, 1949. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and imprisonmer in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from August 16, 1948.

November 10, 1950. Application for computation filed.

J. R. Heyison, Esquire, 201 Odd Fellows Building, Oil City, Pa.

#### BARNHART, MYRL

## York County

### A-609

October 15, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 2 to 4 years. Sentence to be computed from August 12, 1945.

August 12, 1947. Released on parole.

## Larceny

September 28, 1949. Returned to the Eastern State Penitentiary for parole violation.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation of maximum sentence filed.

Mr. Frank P. Tucker, Senior Parole Officer, Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### BISHABERGER, LEONARD

## Allegheny County

A-47

November 14, 1947. Sentenced timprisonment in the Allegheny Courty Workhouse for from 5 to 10 year

November 15, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

Sodomy

September 15, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

November 1, 1950. Continued to December Session.

S. H. Reichman, Esquire, 1219 Plaza Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

## EDWARDS, JOSEPH

## Allegheny County

A-530

November 27, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 3 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from October 14, 1949.

Robbery

September 25, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

November 1, 1950. Continued to December Session.

S. H. Reichman, Esquire, 1219 Plaza Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### CULLEN, WILLIAM

### Allegheny County

3242

September 21, 1934. Sentenced imprisonment in the Western Star Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 year Sentence to be computed from January 22, 1936.

Entering building with intent to commit a felony

February 24, 1937. Application for commutation refused.

parole. Released of

November 10, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Joseph A. Burns, Esquire, 1317 Berger Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### COSTELLO, LOUIS

## Allegheny County

A-597

March , 1939. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$100.00 for assault and battery.

Assault and battery, robbery, receiving stolen goods, larceny April , 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 3 months to 1 year for robbery, and receiving stolen goods.

September , 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 6 months to 3 years for larceny.

November 10, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Joseph A. Burns, Esquire, 1317-21 Berger Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### DADOWSKI, LOUIS, JR.

Allegheny County

A - 305

December 3, 1945. Sentenced timprisonment in the Western Stat Penitentiary for from 12½ to 2 years. Sentence to be computed from December 2, 1945.

Robbery, burglary

March 27, 1950. Application fo commutation filed.

June 20, 1950. Continued to December.

M. Barney Cohen, Esquire, 1208 Berger Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

## FLORIG, ALBERT E.

## Allegheny County

A-469

July 6, 1950. Sentenced to pay the costs of prosecution, restitution having been made.

Passing worthless check

August 11, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

September 19, 1950. Continued to December Session.

M. Barney Cohen, Esquire, 1208 Berger Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

SKIDMORE,	
GEORGE	CLARK

Allegheny County

9183

April 25, 1936. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

September 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

M. Barney Cohen, Esquire, 1208 Berger Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

### **EUNICE, JAMES**

### Allegheny County

8777

December 19, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from October 7, 1938.

March 19, 1947. Application for commutation refused.

Burglary, receiving stolen goods

March 14, 1949. Application for commutation filed.

April 20, 1949. Continued to November Session.

November 15, 1949. Continued to April 1950 Session.

April 18, 1950. Continued to December Session.

Edward E. Pearlman, Esquire, Berger Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

# FIRIT, JOHN

Allegheny County

9737

July 1, 1937. Sentenced to lift imprisonment in the Western Stat Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

March 22, 1949. Application for eommutation refused.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Morris F. Cohen, Esquire, 106 Jones Law Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

### MANCINI, JOHN LEONARD

#### A-431

Felonious assault with intent to commit armed robbery, accessory before the fact, accessory after the fact, receiving stolen goods

## Allegheny County

April 4, 1940. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 2 to 4 years.

July 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 18, 1950. Continued to November Session.

November 14, 1950. Continued to December Session.

A. Arthur Boscia, Esquire, 719 Plaza Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

## MARMAROSA, CARMEN

# Allegheny County

7801

February 25, 1944. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Alleghent County Workhouse for from 4 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from September 2, 1943.

Manslaughter

Applications for commutation refused May 22, 1945, July 24, 1946 and June 25, 1947.

January 17, 1948. Released or parole.

November 10, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Van A. Barriekman, Esquire, 621 Park Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

## MARSH, ELLWOOD

# Allegheny County

A-585

Murder, in the first degree; robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon October 13, 1942. Senteneed to life imprisonment in the Pennsylvania Industrial School for murder in the first degree.

the Western State Penitentiary.

October 23, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Valera Grapp, Attorney-at-Law, 554 Union Trust Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

## MIRAMONTES, FRANCISCO

## Allegheny County

A-599

Murder, in the second degree

June 17, 1948. Sentenced to in prisonment in the Western Stat Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years Sentence to be computed from Apr 14, 1948.

November 10, 1950. Applicatio for commutation filed.

Charles N. Caputo, Esquire, 1220 Berger Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

### SMITH, VERNON W.

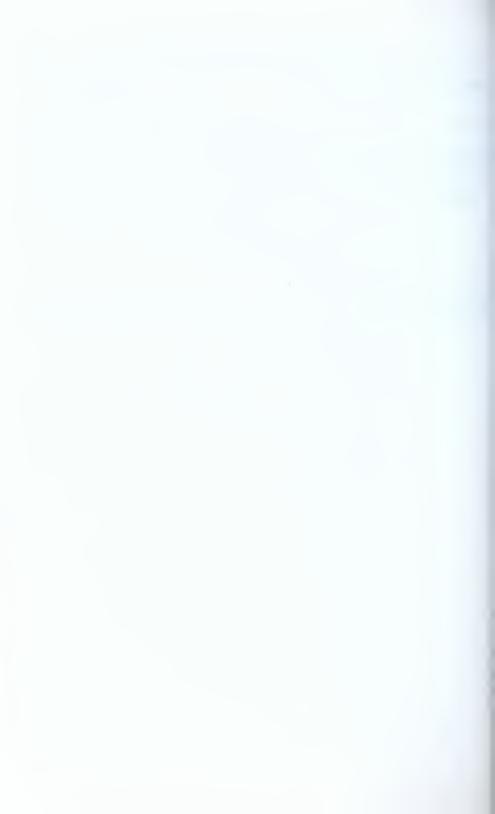
## Allegheny County

#### A-598

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon; receiving stolen goods December 20, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 4 to 8 years. Sentence to be computed from September 29, 1949.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Charles N. Caputo, Esquire, 1220 Berger Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.



# MALLOY, EDWARD

# Allegheny County

A-638

June 28, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 1 to 2 years.

Attempted burglary

November 20, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

James F. Smith, Esquire, 2404 Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

## NARDOZI, VINCENT L.

### Allegheny County

#### A-121

November 6, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from November 7, 1947.

### Robbery

December 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

James W. Daub, Esquire, Stone, Silvestri and Helwig, 414 Plaza Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### NELLONS, THEODORE R.

# Allegheny County

A-593

Murder, in the second degree

March 20, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 8 to 16 years. Sentence to be computed from October 3, 1947.

November 2, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

J. S. LaVictoire, Esquire, 512 Berger Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

## QUALTERS, ROBERT L.

#### A-596

Driving while under influence of intoxicating liquor, involuntary manslaughter

Roy T. Clunk, Esquire, 620 Bakewell Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

## Allegheny County

April 1, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for period of 3 years.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

### ROSELLI, JOSEPH

# Allegheny County

### A-618

Forgery

September 4, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from May 5, 1947.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

J. L. Trambley, Esquire, Attorney-at-Law, 503 Market Street, Johnsonburg, Pa.

### SCHILLER, ALBERT W.

# Allegheny County

#### A-162

February 28, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from February 7, 1947.

### Larceny

January 18, 1950. Application for commutation refused.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

John T. Duff, Jr., Esquire, 3222 Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

Morris M. Berger, Esquire, 1708 Law & Finance Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

### SMITH, AMOS

# Allegheny County

8923

October 26, 1942. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

June 25, 1947. Application for commutation refused.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ralph T. Bell, Esquire, 508 Grant Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### SUZENSKY, JOHN

# Allegheny County

6858-A

April 24, 1933. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused December 8, 1943, and June 25, 1947.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Ralph T. Bell, Esquire, 508 Grant Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

### MOORE, RAYMOND ROGER

# Allegheny County

A-615

Robbery, being armed with offensive weapon

February 11, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 7 to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from December 24, 1946.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mr. John Moore, 612 Lockhart Street, Pittsburgh 12, Pa.

# ROBERTS, WALTER

# Allegheny County

#### A-27

March 5, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for from 10 to 22 years. Sentence to be computed from November 15, 1944.

# Rape, felonious assault and battery

September 8, 1949. Application for commutation filed.

October 18, 1949. Continued to September 1950 Session.

September 19, 1950. Continued to December Session.

Reverend J. B. Campbell, 44-46 Mayflower Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

### ROBINSON, CHARLES HENRY

# Allegheny County

A-614

Rape, burglary

January 15, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from February 28, 1947.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend J. A. Williams, 7340 Hermitage Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

# SCHOVE, WILLIAM H.

### A-512

Misdemeanor, operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, involuntary manslaughter

# Allegheny County

February 15, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Allegheny County Workhouse for period of 3 years.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 15, 1950. Continued to December Session.

Mr. S. L. Fuller, e/o John F. Casey Company, P. O. Box 1888, Pittsburgh 30, Pa.

# BURTON, WILLIAM

Allegheny County

9521

February 27, 1937. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

September 22, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

# CASEY, TOY

# Allegheny County

1927

June 2, 1931. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused September 19, 1934, November 18, 1936, February 19, 1942, February 24, 1943, May 1, 1945, April 29, 1946, and May 21, 1947.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

### COLEMAN, JULIUS LEVI

# Allegheny County

1842

November 26, 1928. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary. Sentence to be computed from December 1, 1928.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused June 20, 1934, December 17, 1936, January 2, 1940, and September 12, 1946.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

### GRAHAM, PAUL RAYMOND

# Allegheny County

**5775** 

September 9, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 15 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from August 1, 1938.

Robbery

Applications for commutation refused May 26, 1942, February 27, 1945, April 17, 1946, and December 20, 1949.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

# HARRIS, JAMES, JR.

# Allegheny County

7921

October 26, 1926. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused July 24, 1945, December 18, 1946, and May 19, 1949.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

# KNOPP, LEONARD

# Allegheny County

9979

September 5, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from August 20, 1946.

Rape

August 9, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

September 21, 1950. Continued to December Session.

### MATTHEWS, WILLIE

# Allegheny County

8121

January 19, 1926. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Western State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

November 7, 1945. Application for commutation refused.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

### BAYUIK, MICHAEL

# Philadelphia County

### A-616

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-

October 22, 1942. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from March 17, 1944.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

### JENKINS, ROYAL EDWIN

### 9932

Assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery, assault and battery with intent to ravish, assault and battery with intent to kill, rape, carrying concealed deadly weapons, robbery

Philadelphia County

April 17, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from March 1, 1945.

June 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 27, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

### HAWKINS, NATHANIEL

A-95

Murder, in the second degree; assault and battery, carrying concealed deadly weapons

# Philadelphia County

February 23, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from November 19, 1943.

December 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 27, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

### MARANO, LEONARD EDWARD

# Philadelphia County

# A-608

July 1, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 1 to 10 years for statutory rape. Sentence to be computed from June 20, 1938.

# Statutory rape, robbery

June 20, 1939. Released on parole.

May 16, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 months to 2 years for robbery. Sentence to be computed from May 16, 1954.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

### BRYANT, GEORGE

# Philadelphia County

A-110

Murder, in the second degree

December 9, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from October 29, 1946.

December 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Reverend Richard H. Monroe, 2022 Pemberton Street, Philadelphia 46, Pa.

Mrs. Mary Jones, 342 Grayson Street, Richmond, Va.

# CHAMBERS, ROLAND

# Philadelphia County

A-120

April 28, 1939. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary. Sentence to be computed from December 8, 1938.

Murder, in the first degree

December 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

November 15, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Marie Little, 6102 Callowhill Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

### DIDDLEBOCK, LEWIS FRANCIS

# Philadelphia County

6837

August 23, 1935. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused November 4, 1943, November 7, 1945, November 13, 1946, and December 14, 1948.

September 11, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

October 18, 1950. Continued to December Session.

Reverend Joseph A. Kenny, Holy Family Church, New Philadelphia, Silver Creek, P. O., Pa.

# JAMIESON, HERMAN

# Philadelphia County

A-600

July 20, 1949. Sentenced to an indefinite term in the State Industrial School of Huntingdon, Pa.

Larceny

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Mae Jamieson, 2620 Manton Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Reverend N. Burnett, 2619 Manton Street, Philadelphia 46, Pa.

### JOSEPH, DOUGLAS

# Philadelphia County

A-631

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-on

December 1, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 8 to 30 years. Sentence to be computed from September 25, 1948.

November 15, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Emmer James Joseph, 2243 Kimball Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

# McCLEAN, WILBUR S.

# Philadelphia County

8650

May 19, 1933. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

November 20, 1946. Application for commutation refused.

October 3, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

November 14, 1950. Continued to December Session.

Reverend Benjamin Stull, 8030 Gilbert Street, Philadelphia 19, Pa.

### MESKILL, JAMES

### A-506

Assault and battery, aggravated assault and battery, wantonly pointing firearms, carrying concealed deadly weapons

# Philadelphia County

August 26, 1949. Sentence suspended and placed on probation for a period of 3 years.

September 11, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

October 17, 1950. Continued to December Session.

Alexander E. Bragdon, Esquire, 603 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

# ROY, JAMES FRANKLIN

# Philadelphia County

A-485

April 29, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from December 23, 1947.

Murder, in the second degree

August 31, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

October 17, 1950. Continued to December Session.

Reverend Richard Monroe, 2022 Pemberton Street, Philadelphia 46, Pa.

### STIEVENDER, ALPHONSO

# Philadelphia County

A-601

Robbery

November 4, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from June 25, 1949.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Mrs. Mincie Stievender, 531 North Nectarine Street, Philadelphia 23, Pa.

Mrs. Mary Stievender, 530 North Douglas Street, Philadelphia 23, Pa.

### BAIRD, PHILIP

# Philadelphia County

### A-610

August 7, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 4 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from November 6, 1948 or expiration of previous sentence.

Burglary, receiving stolen goods

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Lemuel B. Schofield, Esquire, 1810 Morris Building, 1421 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

### SUMEN, STEPHEN

# Philadelphia County

7969

April 29, 1927. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused June 22, 1945, November 19, 1947, and December 21, 1949.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Lemuel B. Schofield, Esquire, 1810 Morris Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

# BANKS, THOMAS

# Philadelphia County

A-587

May 11, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for period of from 1 to 3 years.

Larceny, receiving stolen 1 to 3 years. goods

October 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Samuel A. Levin, Esquire, N. W. Corner 12th and Girard Avenue, Philadelphia 23, Pa.

### McCONNELL, LETON

# Philadelphia County

### **A**-123

October 16, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 6 to 12 years. Sentence to be computed from May 1, 1946.

# Robbery

December 20, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Samuel A. Levin, Esquire, N. W. Corner 12th and Girard Avenue, Philadelphia 23, Pa.

# BOLBER, MORRIS

# Philadelphia County

9488

January 7, 1942. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

August 2, 1948. Application for commutation filed.

Murder, in the first degree

September 21, 1948. Continued to March, 1950 Session.

April 6, 1950. Continued to October Session.

October 17, 1950. Continued to December Session.

Bernard R. Cohn, Esquire, 1411 Walnut Street, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

BROUGHTON, DONALD		Phila	delphia	County
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April 18, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from  $2\frac{1}{2}$  to  $3\frac{1}{2}$ 

Burglary

from March 23, 1949.

November 13, 1950. Application

for commutation filed.

years. Sentence to be computed

Herbert L. Maris, Esquire, 1505 Fox Building, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

# DE LANGE, HARRY, JR.

# Philadelphia County

8600

June 21, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 11 to 22 years.

Burglary, receiving stolen goods, assault with intent to rob Applications for commutation refused November 13, 1946, December 14, 1948, and December 20, 1949.

October 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Sol R. Gitman, Esquire, 604 Market Street National Bank Building, Philadelphia 7, Pa. DLUZNIEWSKI, EDWARD J.

Philadelphia County

A-116

July 7, 1947. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 5 to 10 years

Burglary, larceny, receiving stolen goods

December 20, 1947. Application for commutation refused.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Leon Weinroth, Esquire, 1616 Walnut Street, Philadelphia 3, Pa.

### GORE, DAVID

### Philadelphia County

9887

May 24, 1945. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Pointentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from February 21, 1945.

Murder, in the second degree

October 19, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

October 24, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Irving J. Katz, Esquire, 1622 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

### GRASSIA, RUDOLPH

### Philadelphia County

9924

December 9, 1948. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 3 to 10 years. Sentence to be computed from November 5, 1948.

Robbery

June 21, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Frank J. Fortunato, Esquire, Rocco J. Costanzo, Esquire, 1732 South Broad Street, Philadelphia 45, Pa.

### JEDWABNY, EDWARD J.

### Philadelphia County

### 7747

November 25, 1942. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years. Sentence to be computed from September 25, 1942.

### Robbery

Applications for commutation refused January 19, 1945, April 17, 1946, June 24, 1947, November 16, 1948, and September 20, 1949.

November 2, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Roy Pressman, Esquire, 1306 Widener Building, Juniper and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

### JORDAN, ERNEST

### Philadelphia County

A-623

Murder, in the second degree

May 27, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Michael J. McEnery, Esquire, 1409 Finance Building, 1428 South Penn Square, Philadelphia, Pa.

### KESSLER, JAMES R.

### Philadelphia County

### A-592

February 24, 1943. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$100.00, and placed on probation for period of 22 months.

### Involuntary manslaughter

November 2, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Arnold M. Blumberg, Esquire, 541 Land Title Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

### LUNDY, NELSON

### Philadelphia County

2971

September 18, 1928. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary. Sentence to be computed from November 30, 1928.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused June 18, 1936, January 19, 1938, December 14, 1938, January 23, 1940, November 21, 1941, November 18, 1942, July 8, 1943, November 16, 1944, January 9, 1946, December 17, 1947, and September 20, 1949.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Charles F. G. Smith, Esquire, 1030 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

### PASSIONE, CARLO

### Philadelphia County

### A-504

December 31, 1937. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

### Murder, in the first degree

September 8, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

October 17, 1950. Continued to December Session.

Jerome H. Jaspan, Esquire, 703 Market Street National Bank Building, Juniper and Market Streets, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

### PICCOLI, ANTHONY

### 9572

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weapon; entering to commit a felony; assault and battery with intent to kill; carrying concealed deadly weapons

Herbert Brener, Esquire, 213 South Broad Street, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

### Philadelphia County

November 8, 1937. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 40 years Sentence to be computed from September 17, 1937.

Applications for commutation refused October 26, 1948, and November 16, 1949.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

### REYNOLDS, JOSEPH E.

### Philadelphia County

9370

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-

February 1, 1946. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 7½ to 15 years. Sentence to be computed from January 2, 1946.

Applications for commutation refused May 18, 1948, May 18, 1948, and May 18, 1950.

October 17, 1950. Reargument granted.

Alvin J. Bello, Esquire, 1003 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

### SAFFIAN, SIDNEY

### Philadelphia County

9943

June 24, 1943. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$500.00 and imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for 1 year.

Conspiracy to set up and maintain lottery

September 20, 1949. Application for pardon refused.

October 23, 1950. Application for pardon filed.

Sol R. Gitman, Esquire, 604-05 Market Street National Bank Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

### SCHILLING, WILLIAM A.

### Philadelphia County

9697

June 10, 1943. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 10 to 20 years.

Larceny, burglary, receiving stolen goods

January 25, 1949. Application for commutation refused.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

John Y. Mace, Esquire, 1420 Walnut Street, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

### SHERMAN, MARY

### Philadelphia County

A-621

October 7, 1949. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 2 to 4 years.

Larceny

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

E. Washington Rhodes, Esquire, 526 South 16th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

### SMITH, ISIAH

### Philadelphia County

9217

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-on

January 3, 1941. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 50 to 100 years. Sentence to be computed from December 31, 1940.

January 21, 1948. Application for commutation refused.

January 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Albert A. Drucker, Esquire, 1420 Walnut Street, Philadelphia 2, Pa.

### UPCHURCH, WILLIAM

### Philadelphia County

A-628

February 10, 1950. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Philadelphia County Prison for from 3 to 6 years. Sentence to be computed from January 28, 1950.

Robbery

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

A. Bernard Hirsch, Esquire, 121 North Broad Street, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

### WARNER, E. ROBERT

### Philadelphia County

7452

November 22, 1938. Sentenced to imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary for from 20 to 50 years. Sentence to be computed from November 9, 1938.

Robbery, being armed with an offensive weap-on

Applications for commutation refused October 18, 1944, October 5, 1945, November 20, 1946, November 19, 1947, December 14, 1948, and December 28, 1949.

November 10, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Robert C. Duffy, Esquire, 1224 Lincoln-Liberty Building, Philadelphia 7, Pa.

### McKAIRNES, JOHN

### Philadelphia County

6535

April 7, 1933. Sentenced to life imprisonment in the Eastern State Penitentiary.

Murder, in the first degree

Applications for commutation refused November 4, 1943, November 27, 1945, October 15, 1947, October 26, 1948, and November 16, 1949.

November 13, 1950. Application for commutation filed.

Thomas Boylan, Esquire, 407 Liberty Trust Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

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John G. Polens, No. 3616 .....

Recommendations from the Board of Inspectors from County Prisons for prisoners whose terms expire during the month of January, 1951.

# ALLEGHENY COUNTY WORKHOUSE

Number	er Name	Crime	Date of	Sentence Years	County
99249	Joseph Baumgartner	Rang, indeg. asslt Aug.	ig. 13, 1948.	ි	Beaver
65806	Charles C. McHale. Indec. asslt		19	23 mosAllegheny	Allegheny
67325	Jack Braughler			15 mosIndiana	Indiana
67432	Edward Baker	•	. 9	1]	Butler
67651	Gwyn Weber	Wil. des. & N. S., etcJan.	п. 10, 1950.		. Washington
67163	Frank E. De Carlo		10,	$\dots 22 \text{ mos}$	Fayette
65873	Joseph Tallarico	:	y 16, 1949.	$\dots 2 \dots$	. Clarion
66326	$\operatorname{Jack}$ Penworth	:		$\dots 2 \dots$	MeKean
66037	Paul R. Wapler	:		$\dots 2 \dots 1$	. Allegheny
67171	Harry J. Steinheuser,	:	ળ	18 mosI	Erie
62929	George Feather	.Public_indecencyFeb.			$\mathbf{Bedford}$
67791	•	Immoral practicesFeb.		I	. Allegheny
67804	•	.Burg., larcenyFeb.		1	Crawford
96829	Dwight E. Wilson	.Pub. indec., mal. prowl Feb.	b. 2, 1950	1	Allegheny
68797	Anthony Bonanno	Loitering & prowling Feb.	b. 18, 1950	1I	Blair

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O-3872 Joseph Wheeler .... A&B, sodomy .....Jan.

O-7505 Barney Winokur ... Drugs .....

0.4671 John Hayes ......Drugs, etc.

Michael Abate .....R.S.G. ....

Robert Harris .....Oper. auto W.O.C. ...

D-7473 Clarence Johnson .. A&B

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David Richards .... Rev. prob., A&B ......June

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